Conference with different workers &c.

Sept. 9. 1890	Mr Alfred Docking
1890 or 91	R. W. Hill
Dec. 1891	Dr Jackson
Dec 12th 1891	School Committee
March 5th 1892	Mrs Sinclair & Boynton
" 12th 1892	Dr Jackson
Sept 6th 1892	Miss M. E. Dissette
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March 3rd 1893	Conference with Secretaries
May 20th 1893	" in Washington, D. C.
May 31st 1893	Finance Committee

September 9th,1890

SPENCER ACADEMY, INDIAN TERRITORY.

MRS ALFRED DOCKING.

There are 1800 or 2000 Choctaws,more full bloods than among other nations. We have to depend upon cisterns which have kept us supplied very well even in very dry weather. Two cisterns one holding 600 barrels and the other 200. This water is used for the house and for outside purposes as well ; irrigating.

The school building is of frame with large recitation room; we also use one room in the house for recitations; are sadly in need of more rooms for sleeping. There is a large farm in connection with the work and the boys are at this work. We have a work shop,blacksmith shop; everything for doing just the very plain est kind of carpenter work,and the boys do that; the repairing this last year was almost entirely done by the boys. Mr.Docking employed a man to repair the tin roof with the understanding that he should teach at least one boy and the boy has since done the repairing for the school.

We have one hundred boys in the school; the Choctaw Natio are allowed to send their children to the school; they send to the Board $10,000 each year for the running of the school. Last year two fathers asked to send their boys with the privilege of paying $100 extra. This year there have been applications for four or five boys to come each one to pay $100 extra but we have not room for them. They send in one hundred dollars and they have nothing more to do with the school.

We furnish them with blue and white striped shirts and in winter flannel undershirts,white heavy cotton drawers and for school wear and Sabbath,they have a blue uniform,-dark blue- brass buttons. For work they wear the common Kentucky jeans,dark blue, or brown. The boys do the work in the dining room,the smaller boys wash the dishes and set the tables;they do it neatly and well.

Last year we asked a numberof churches for books and the library has thus increased. We have a reading room;this they did not have before; a number of friends are sending papers for that. They are taught the Bible in the daily recitations just as they are Arithmetic and History or any other study. Some of the boys have no idea of the Bible when they come to school. One day one of the teachers was sick and I took his class,they were the smaller boys in the school and the lesson was on Elijah; the question came up where did Elijah go when the brook dried up; after thinking a little ,one little boy raised his hand and said to Chicago.

We have now a small church of 17 members formed from the school. The children's parents often come to visit us,usually one at a time excepting at the end of school year then there are more. We begin with the boys teaching them by objects; they go perhaps to the dining room and are shown the different articles of furniture and are asked to say that word in English,and then to write it and speak it at the same time.

We have a Latin class in the school; last year we had two classes in Caesar and ten in Latin reader; this year we have four in Caesar and in the Latin Reader. At least half of the children are full bloods. The full blood can be depended upon more than the half blood; the full bloods do the best work. Last year the boy who stood at the head of the school was a full blood. Mr Docking had often talked to them about temperance, its being the greatest evil; he said he did not know whether the right time had come to ask them to take the pledge or not, but he felt like doing it and he asked how many were ready to take the pledge and twenty-one boys arose, and said they had been thinking of it for weeks and months. When it came to the time to sign it, he told them only those boys who had thought about it and wished to do it should do so; when it came to the time they all stepped back and said let "Smallwood Pusley" this full blood boy who stood at the head of the school sign first. Since then the number has been increased to thirty-eight. Quite a number have signed the tobacco pledge. I think sometimes they cut their teeth on tobacco, and it is hard for them to give it up, but some of them have done nobly.

The White Cross movement is organized among them and eighteen or twenty of the boys belong; they have had that fully explained to them.

Another organization that we have is the Y P.S.C.E. they have their own officers and it is entirely conducted by them; they have their own duties. Some of the workers go in sometimes. They elected Smallwood president of this society. Dr. Allen Wright planne the building of Spencer Academy; he is a full blood Choctaw and he has given the boys many of their nam s.

We have three rooms devoted to the hospital in the building but entirely separated from the dormitories, no connection whatever; they are down stairs. There have been but three deaths in two years; the year before there were eight in two months. Pneumonia is the prevalent disease. Mr Docking teaches in the school as he has time, otherwise his place is supplied. Four teachers in the school room, three gentlemen and one lady.

There are more full bloods than any other nation and they do not intermarry with any other nation.

CONFERENCE WITH DR. HILL IN REGARD TO THE WORK
INDIAN TERRITORY.
Feb. 18th,1890 or '91.

Dr Hill states we must have plans before we can build,as the Woman's Executive Committee has decided that in the future there shall be no buildings erected without the plans for the same having been approved by the Committee. I drew a sketch of the plan of building for Old Dwight,and gave it to Mr Smith ,the architect, from which he might draw a plan. He returned it the next day,and asked me if it was satisfactory; it being so,the plans were left in the hands of the Building Committee.

Mrs Alexander asked me why the buildings were not being erected. I replied,the plans had not been sent me,but the building would be begun as soon as the plans were approved,and I had word from the Treasurer of the Board that the money was ready to be drawn upon,and as soon as the weather would permit. I do not think it would take over a month to build it. If the lumber is purchased at the mill near by,it will have to be seasoned. The lumber would have to be brought by rail about twenty-five miles. The Muskogee builder will put up this building by contract. This building is to accommodate forty or fifty regular boarders,and about fifty day pupils will attend the school when the weather is fair. It is to be used as a chapel as well. The whole school will remain in the one room,until it is time for the primary to go into the smaller room. The plans as drawn by Mr Smith 40' x 50' will cost in the neighborhood of $1500 or $1600. I have had several estimates on the Muskogee building and the lowest and best is $2278,and for that amount we can have a very good school building,one adapted to the uses to which it will be put,and also capable of being removed to the land outside of the city,should we ever deem it desirable. There has been a suggestion to move the entire plant to the town of Wagoner. I cannot say what will be the future of this town. It has grown very rapidly the last three years. There is one Presbyterian school in the town,the Cumberland. It is not well supported and is of a different character from the Muskogee school I would say,move it to Wagoner in preference to any other town in that vicinity;or else to Fort Gibson,and use the ground there,if the Cherokee Nation would permit us to locate so as to be satisfied,I could find a very suitable piece of land upon which the buildings could be transferre and the work of the school greatly prospered. There is no reason why the Creeks should not send their children to a new place,it is simply a question of getting a good school,and I believe that the filling of the school largely depends upon the reputation of the teachers. Since Miss Robertson has left the school Miss Cox has taken entire charge and assumed the full responsibility of Principal, but in her case it is a tentative appointment,subject to the orders

of the Board,so that if her work proves satisfactory up to the clos of the year,and she desires it,she will continue as Principal of the school. It was fortunate that we were able to purchase a piece of land lying across the road from the Minerva Home. This has been in contemplation for several years as suitable for a school building When Dr Mc Millan was down it was decided that the best location for a new school house was directly in front of the old house, occupying ground from the north fence southward 40' reaching from the east fence to the portico of the old house,occupying about 40' x 60'. It will crowd the buildings a little,but seeing nothing better,and the owner of the property offering to sell the ground, we purchased it,and then sent word to New York,asking for a confir mation of the purchase. I am now waiting authority to close the contract,awaiting the assurance that the necessary money will be forthcoming on draft. The building will be put up by contract to be erected in a certain time,if not finished in that time,the contractor will have to lose a certain amount,and likewise I am to meet the payments positively at certain times. Miss Lincoln stated that there was about $800 in the treasury,which with the pledges will amount to about $1800. The building if begun now can be ready in time for the closing exercises of the school. Resolved,That in view of the funds in hand,and the pledges secured,together with the fact that Miss Robertson is in a position to secure the remainder,we recommend that the building be begun immediately.

Anadarko. Dr Hill says the very fact of there being no Kiowas in the school is a very good reason why they should have a boarding and not a day school at Anadarko. Mrs James asked if this was the most needy part of Indian Territory. Dr Hill said this is not,but those who need this school can be reached as well from this as from any other point. A day school can not reach a roving people. The boarding school is intended to gather in the children from a large circuit of country and bring them in a central point, and keep them in the institution until such time as they are fitted to go out again. The best place for the school is at Mautame,four miles from Anadarko; this is in the township of Anadarko; this is merely a local name,applied to the missionary settlement. At Anadarko proper the agency is one mile from the agency building,and is known as the Government Kiowa school; further away from Mautame,one mile in another direction is the Methodist boarding school holding about twenty pupils,across the river in the Wichita country about one mile is the Wichita United States Government school; these constitute the schools which are located at Anadarko. The Kiowa school is for the Kiowas only; the Wichita is for the Wichita and confederate bands only,no Kiowa or Comanches are admitted; the Methodist school is intended to gather the children of the Delawares, the Comanches,Caddos,the Apaches,so it is not a Kiowa school in the direct sense of the term. Our school at Mautame to reach the north

ern half of the Kiowa and Comanche Reservation, and gather such as we may obtain to put under the influence of our teachers in this boarding school. This is the present aspect of the case, but in the future we must face a new condition. The Government through its Cherokee Commission has already entered into the treaty of a purchase with the Wichita Indians by which the Wichita and confederate band surrender a large portion of their land reserving for themselves only 80 acres of land apiece for every man, woman and child, the remaining portion is to be open for white settlements. The Indians are to be allotted as nearly as possible together, so that we shall have them practically spread along the river)Washita) on the North side coming down opposite Mautame and still further down until their settlements reach the line of the Chickashaw Nation. All the other wide part will be open to white settlements so that I anticipate that within a year there will be no more Indians near Mautame than at present. As soon as the treaty is completed the Kiowa Indians will be located each having his own farm and being thereafter practically compelled to have a permanent home upon that farm. This will be mainly along the Washita river. The Kiowas are already taking up for themselves these farms, and it has been said they would take up the largerportion between Anadarko and the Chick asaw country, and this valley of the Washita that the old pastors will be given up almost entirely to Indians ; in that case Mautame will be in the very center of the Kiowa country. The capacity of the Government schools is limited and can not take all the children of these Nations, the schools are full having four children in one bed. The Roman Catholics are right upon the field and are about to erect another school they do not think the Government facilities for education are such as to warrant them to keep out.

The lowest bid upon the plans for this school among the Kiowas, is $6300, and we have but $2500. If it be the intention of the Executive Committee to carry on this work for a number of years then it will be necessary to put up a good building, if only for a few years, a $2500 building will be good enough. In the changing condition of affairs in Indian Territory, it is impossible to proph esy what we will have to do for the Indians the next five years. Mrs Finks reported that the Philadelphia ladies said it would be useless to drag on the Mary Gregory fund still further as the family were getting tired out, therefore, it would be better to put up a building for $2500 and if the future warranted it a larger one could be erected later. Dr. Hill suggests that an architect upon the ground who knows the condition would be better able to prepare a plan for the building. Resolved, that in view of further light upon this subject the former action taken by the Executive Commit tee be reconsidered. Resolved that Dr. Hill be authorized to erect a building to accommodate twenty children not to exceed the amount in hand, at Mautame.

ATOKA. Dr.Hill spoke of having mentioned the little boy department in this school, and the expenses being paid by two members of the church at Atoka. These men were somewhat embarassed in business and could not carry it on this year, but desired the Board to guarantee one half the cost, and there was a small amount to be supplemented. Resolved, That we recommend to the School Committee that the amount be supplemented pending the statement that Miss Charles hopes it will not exceed $10 to make the $250. Dr.Hill was then asked if he would advise a more expensive building for the poor whites in Indian Territory. He replied, that his advice would be to open the school system in the Indian Territory that it should embrace every child whether white or Indian.

Miss Robertson mentioned the fact that a school at Mc Alester costing $70,000. had been offered for $20,000 or $25,000 . There is not ground with the property but three or four acres could be obtained, enough for an enclosure, as the sale of this property is now pending in Court it may be some time before it is settled. Dr.Hill thinks both sides would be very glad to settle the matter of title if it could be used as a mission school. He thinks this building would accommodate 100 pupils. As it stands it is not entirely suitable for our work, but could be easily adapted. It is owned by the Lehigh Coal Company.

MULDROW. Dt.Hill expresses his surprise that a letter should have been written by Mrs Evans, the wife of the minister at Muldrow , stating that there was no need of a school at this place, as there was a school within two miles, it would simply be a waste of money to establish a school. The very facts contained in her letter constituted a ground for our occupancy of that field for school purposes. The town is largely occupied by poor whites and proscribed Cherokee claimants. These have no right to enter any Cherokee school, therefore, the doors were closed against these people. There are young people in the congregation and the church and over 150 children are enrolled in the Sabbath School of white mixed blood and Cherokee claimants. Having so many children there proves that the door was wide open to do a good work. Mrs Finks explained that she thought Mrs Evans meant we were not reaching the Indian children directly. From facts given it is evident that the tuition collected from the children of the school is used for fuel and lights to make the building comfortable on the Sabbath. Mr.Leiper wrote also and said he thought the full bloods were neglected by spending the money upon the whites Mrs James then asked if the teachers were in sympathy with the fact that the Executive Committee do not wish to pauperize the Indians, the parents are expected to pay tuition as far as possible. Dr.Hill stated that there were but two schools at the present time where a charge was not made for tuition and in these schools the parents contribute to its support as far as they are able by furnishing coal, food , light, and oil. These

are Wewoka and Tulsa,many of the parents being very poor we could not expect much from them. When the Tulsa school was started it was the only one in the place. One dollar per month was charged. About a year and a half after this a minister started a school in this same town charging a tuition of fifty cents a month. The place was too small for two schools and the Committee having a building and a school I gave directions to the teachers to make no charge for tuition but to contribute towards the support of the school in other ways. Our school is always full,the other is open for a little while and then closed up as the teacher finding no resources leaves the school. At Muldrow no charge was made as the teacher said the people were very poor ,and this would exclude the children. Dr Hill told the teacher to have a free list not to exceed thirty,and then exact from the others tuition. This enabled her to help the poorest. There is not other school for these children to attend but ours.

Salaries of teachers in Indian Territory. These should be adjusted so as to be equal. A teacher who goes out to the isolation and constant nerve strain of a boarding school like Nuyaka, is truly entitled to the same compensation as a teacher in a day school whose work is done by four in the afternoon. A teacher's work in a boarding school begins early in the morning and lasts all through the day into the evening hours and even then there is more or less anxiety even after her work is done. The teachers at Nuyaka are paid $250 and board; at Muskogee,$300 and board. The day school teacher does not have the nervous strain such as the teacher in the boarding school. We pay the day school teacher $500 and she can get board for about $150,leaving her $350. It is hard to get the class of workers desired when we tell them the amount which is received for this work. Dr.Hill would recommend that the Executive Committee make all salaries in the boarding schools in the Indian Territory,$350 and board,and $500 in the day schools. As the price of board charged the teachers in our different boarding schools varied it was thought well to have a uniform price.

The reason for the transfer of the Misses Dexter is, that we had too many teachers in one place and not sufficient in the other. Miss Dexter will not remain in the service of the Board after this year on account of the change in amount of salary. Miss Norton is doing very good work at Muskogee.

Mr.Johnson is a good teacher and is endeavoring to carry out every wish of the Board. He is advanced in age and fixed in habits,but at heart is a thoroughly consecrated man. Dr.Hill thinks that Mr.Johnson does not have sufficient variety of food at his table. Dr.Johnson says it is his desire to give the children all they need but not to use consecrated money to furnish them with luxuries

MUSKOGEE. Dr Hill said that Miss Barnes is matron at Muskogee and he has told her that this would be the opportunity to prove

herself efficient for that department, and that in case she was not suitable, it would be necessary to find a successor. Miss Barnes is not adaptable, she is too old to come under orders. Miss Cox says she cannot put up with such work as Miss Robertson had, but will leave. Dr. Hill suggests that as soon as the Committee feel that Miss Barnes is not the one for the place, a successor should be appointed and fill her place immediately after sufficient notification has been given Miss Barnes; asking that he also be notified of this fact, recommending that in case she is to be dismissed before the year she be allowed the balance of her salary. The suggestion was made that this matter be deferred one month before the communication was sent her, and we hear from Miss Cox.

Dr Hill suggests that as the music and kindergarten teachers at Muskogee are not under commission by the Board that they be commissioned at the regular salary given to the other teachers at Muskogee. These teachers could then be called upon in case of emergency, as in the case of sickness during the winter at Muskogee, some of the workers refused to assist in the care of the sick, leaving Miss Robertson almost alone. Mrs Riddell gave up her regular work, which is the kindergarten, and assisted Miss Robertson, thus losing much of her income. It is suggested that Mrs Riddell be reimbursed to the amount of her loss. A motion made that the music and kindergarten teachers be commissioned as regular teachers. Carried. Motion made that the amount lost by these teachers in giving up their work and caring for the sick be made up to them at the rate of $350 per year.

Dr Hill suggests that Miss Robertson be paid for the pian Objection was made to this on the ground that the Board distinctly stated that they do not purchase pianos.

Miss Robertson asked that she might examine the bills from other schools and compare them with her own, in order that she might see the difference in the cost of living. This was granted.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
September 15th,1891.

1. Mrs Cady 's account of her trip to Alaska
Thanksgiving collection from Sunday Schools.
California needs women to go through their state.
2. Mrs Cady to write Mrs Harrison about Alaska
Government aid to be done away with.
3. Closing of the Columbian Exhibition on Sunday
Miss Brownell a good speaker. To visit California.
4. Miss Brownell's furniture she desires to sell.
Smithfield,Utah. Miss Knox's two girls,place them in Miss Moore's home.
Heater also needed by Miss Knox.
Las Vegas,N.M. Building in a deplorable state
5. Presbytery of Utah recommends third teacher for Manti,Utah
Ardmore,Ind Ter. Poor whites.
Members of Synodical Committee from Omaha,Neb
6. Mrs Bartlett of California accepts position of vice president
Mr Lynde asked for in place of Richard King .

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday Sept 15th at 12M/ preceded by the first prayermeeting of the season, at which thirty-five ladies were present and which lasted an hour and a half. Miss Burnet led the meeting with the reading of very striking passages of Scripture;three teachers from the field made interesting statements,and Mrs Cady President of Westchester Presbyterial Society gave a very striking account of her recenttrip to Alaska and her impressions of the work at the various points,which could but stir all present with encouragement to greater efforts for these most interesting people.

The business meeting immediately followed at which twelve ladies were present. Owing to the lateness of the hour Mrs James suggested that the minutes of the previous meetings be held over for the next regular meeting.

Mrs Finks reported that hitherto the Thanksgiving collection from Sunday Schools has been preceded by a reminder sent to each S.S.Superintendent. She read a letter she had prepared for this purpose this year. Contributions had been received last year from 800 Sunday Schools. It is very much desired that this year we double this number - as this work of Home Missions will soon come to those now children in our schools. After hearing the letters prepared by Mrs Finks a motion was carried that it be printed and circulated.

Mrs Finks stated that our California women were greatly in need of some of their women going through all the societies of

their state,but had not the means this year to cover their expenses. They ask if they may look to us for help in this important direction. On motion resolved to grant such traveling expenses as may be needed to further this work in California.

Mrs James informed Mrs Cady that she would feel relieved to know that she had written Mrs Harrison the accounts she brought back from Alaska of the character of some of the officialsappointed by Government,and had received word from her that she had laid the matter before the President who had promised to have a change made. Mrs James then conferred with Mrs Alexander as to an increase of salary for Miss Hotchkiss in Monroe,N.C. as she finds $300 insufficient for her needs. Resulting, a motion was carried adding $100. to her present salary,and Mrs Alexander will try to get the whole pledged from Dr Hall's church.

Mrs James read a letter from the Association of the National League for the protection of American Institutions,to the Board of Home Missions,opposing the action of our government in giving aid to school organizations of various religious demonina-tions,and appealin for assistance to all Protestant denominations to have this aid done away with. The Board of Home Missions made answer that they were in hearty sympathy with the National League in preparing the amendment to the National Constitution,but that they could only be ready to have the Government withdraw their support as at present given to our Indian schools,when they shall

provide for them a Common school system of education. The reason for this being that the $40,000 which we are now receiving for these schools would then come as an additional burden on our Synod ical Societies,and it is a grave matter to consider. Mrs Agnew gave strong testimony as an exmember of the Board of Education in New York city of the crying evil of this dependence upon government for school maintenance. She always gave her vote on the Board with this qualification that she was thoroughly opposed to the system. Mrs A.Smith of Chicago told of the great gathering of teachers in St Paul,at which 10,000 teachers voted against this very thing. Mrs James and others believed that the 40,000 and more would be unanimously voted for by the women of all the Synods so that they might free themselves at last of this dependence upon government,this union in our free country of church and state. The vote of those present was then found to be a unit in favor of this amendment proposed.

Mrs James asked the opinion of the Committee on the advis ability of sending a petition to Congress urging the closing of the Columbian Exhibition on the Sabbath. A motion was carried that such a petition be presented.

Miss Brownell formerly of Tucson,Arizona,and present at the meeting gave warm testimony as to Miss Brownell's ability as a speaker. A motion was made that Miss Brownell be appointed to visit societies through California and consult with the California

ladies as to her traveling expenses which will be borneby us. She also asks if she may be paid $15 for some furniture for which she paid $21.75 at Tucson. A motion carried that this sum be sent to Miss Brownell but considered as an exceptional case,as we wish to encourage our teachers applying here for furniture needed, and not attempting to purchase for themselves. Miss Clay,whose furniture is not in quality or quantity at all suitable,will also be supplied with proper and suitable articles to be asked for from some society as a special.

Miss Knox from Smithfield,Utah,writes regarding the two girls whom she has had with her for some time,that she would be glad to place them with Miss Moore who makes a home for a few girls who attend the Salt Lake Institute. She knows not where to apply for the means to do this. Miss Moore's salary is paid by Executive Committee but her other expenses are borne by herself and those she can interest in it.

A letter was presented by MrsWade from a Presbyterial Secretary in Portland,Oregon,offering to bear part of these expenses. A motion was carried that the Portland Society be authorized to assist Miss Moore all they can,provided they can do so above their usual pledged work.

Miss Knox also states that $35 will be necessary to supply her with a heater and other needed articles for this winter. These were voted Miss Knox by a unanimous vote.

Mrs Wade read a letter from Miss Beckman at Las Vegas

formerly our teacher in the Academy at Santa Fe,N.M. She gives a deplorable account of the state of the building she is in; the drainage very defective and needing immediate attention. She also states that she cannot herself teach more than half a day,and a superintendent is needed besides. She follows with a number of questions regarding board and fuel,etc,so many details that the letter was referred to the Finance Committee for further investiga tion.

The Presbytery of Utah recommends a third teacher at Manti,also the purchase of two roods of land at the cost of $80 at Hyrum. The case of the teacher was settled at the Spring Conference and a motion was carried that they be allowed to make the purchase of the land if thought to be advisable.

Ardmore is a settlement of poor whites in Indian Territory; they ask for a teacher promising to give the building for a school themselves. Dr Hill thinks it an important point,and Mrs Moore of Nuyaka believes the children will pay sufficient for tuition to nearly cover the teacher's salary. Moved and carried that we ask the School Committee to allow us to send a teacher to Ardmore.

At a late meeting of the Omaha Presbyterial Society three ladies have been approved as members of Synodical Committee; they write asking our sanction of the appointment. Motion carried that we write this society sanctioning such appointment but referring

the matter to the Synodical Committee as for ultimate decision .

Mrs Bartlett of California accepts with gratitude her appointment as vice-president of the Woman's Executive Committee in a very pretty note of thanks.

Mr Robe of Sisseton,So.Dak. asks for the appointment of a Mr.Lynde in place of Richard King holding a very useful position. Motion carried that Mr .Robe be allowed this desired assistant,as he does not fill a new position ,but a vacancy.

Meeting adjourned at 1.30 P.M.

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WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
October 6th,1891.

1. Important that teacher's rooms shall be furnished.
Miss Zuver has had pneumonia. Building needs repairs
Mrs Walker spoke on work in the west
2. Message from the women in Ireland through Mrs Sinclair.
Women in Toronto,Canada have great interest in our work.
Greetings from Hawaian Islands through Mrs Pratt.

Miss Ludlum and her gold dollar story
Treasurer's report
Bedding for Miss Scott at Isleta from Albuquerque
3. Miss Alice Robertson,Muscogee,I.T. reported on her school.
Miss Allison's expenses
Money for Santa Fe,N.M. laundry granted. ($200)
Coralles,N.M. Another water closet needed.
Music lessons at Las Vegas. Price.
4. Harlan Court House,Ky. Com. asked to take it up again.
Atoka,Ind Ter. Desires boarding department
Sitka,Alaska. Saw mill needs more tools
5. WhiteHall,N.C. $6000 for extra building.
Increase in Miss Rue's salary
Petition against opening World's Fair on Sunday
Mrs Dr Dennis of Newark,N.J. elected a member of Advisory Com
Change of name of Extra Penny a day mite boxes.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday, Oct 6th at 11 A.M. preceded by the regular prayer meeting of half an hour, presided over by Mrs James. Minutes of all previous meetings since August 1st read and approved with necessary corrections.

Mrs James brought before the meeting before taking up the regular business the importance of seeing that the teacher's rooms shallbe hereafter furnished by the Executive Committee with the exception of the bed linen etc. and a careful note be kept of such furnishing. A motion was carried to this effect. Mrs Finks stated that it would be necessary to have careful provision that an oversight be maintained over this furniture during a transfer of teachers, otherwise articles are frequently stolen.

Mrs James mentioned the case of Miss Zuver having had pneumonia at Penasco and now filling a temporary place elsewhere Mrs James thinks she should not be permitted to return there until a new and wholesome building be put up. On motion resolved to discontinue the school on learning that she had already returned, and Miss Zuver be placed elsewhere for the present till a new room be prepared.

Mrs Walker of Colorado, being present and having but a short time, was requested to say a few words before going out to address synodical societies. Mrs Walker said that while the work seemed slow and organization incomplete in the far west, she thinks she can see a steady progress owing to an increase and fervency of

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Mrs Sinclair brought a message from the women in Ireland asking for our prayers that they might be more fervent in prayer.

Mrs Brownell reported having spent a few days in Toronto last week and meeting several of the officers of the Woman's Missionary society of Canada,all of whom expressed great interest in our work,and a desire to emulate our example.

Mrs Pratt who had recently returned from the Hawaian Islands brought greetings also from those far away islands,from several different points where they are also working for missions.

?iss Ludlam told a very touching story of the gift of one small gold dollar placed in her hand by a lady in our own city, a short time ago,the recital of which has put already in her hands the sum of $300. This will be expended for some special object in the Mt Pleasant school the point in which the donor was specially interested.

Total receipts for October	$19,183.01	
For Freedmen	9,052.47	
decrease in Home work about	2,000	This is owing

not to a falling off in societies but in special gifts and legacies. Total receipts for the year to Oct 1st $97,724.28

The Misses Scott at Isleta having asked for a supply of bed linen and blankets from the closed school at Albuquerque,a resolution was passed that the Misses Scott have sent them the bedding needed,but that the teachers at Isleta as elsewhere supply their

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own bed linen,according to the action just passed this morning.

Miss Alice Robertson came in quite unexpectedly and reported that while last year they had one third more boarding pupils and half more day pupils,provisions also being higher,their expenses were $400 less owing to the constantlyincreasing tuition paid them by the scholars. One hundred dollars has been given her by one man in the town for the new schoolbuilding. She has over $800 altogether. The building will cost but $1800 instead of $5000 as was first expected.

Miss Allison,in rendering her account of traveling expenses to Mr Eaton,states that if we grant her expenses both ways the amount would be double. She also writes that in the new laundry a ward be made for contagious diseases. This had already been provided for while she was here.

The School Committee yesterday voted the $200 asked for for the laundry etc. at Santa Fe.

Miss Stimers at Corrales,N.M. writes that another water-closet is really needed,one now doing duty for both boys and girls Motion carried that this improvement be made.

Miss Beekman at Las Vegas writes that two or three girls wish music lessons at twenty five cents a lesson. They are only paying $2 for tuition whereas many pay $3. She asks what she shall do about it. Also whether she shall chanege for the use of the organ. Miss Beekman will be written to that those paying ...-

only $2 fortuitionmay not receive music lessons,unless there are especial reasons why it should be thought best. It was passed as a motion and carried.

The school at Harlan Court House,Ky. was under our care for two years,and is now again started with Miss Campbell as teach er. We have asked again to take up the work,the salary being entirely pledged $300. Onmotion of Mrs Ham resolved to continue this school and undertake Miss Campbell's salary. Letter from Miss Rockwell at Sisseton,So Dak. regarding the correspondence on scholarships,suggesting that Mrs Robe undertake it all. It is thought that Mrs Robe would do this satisfactorily. On motion Mrs Robe will be asked toundertake this work receiving such assistance as she may find necessary from the teachers.

A letter comes from Atoka begging for a boarding depart-ment in connection with their school work,and asking authority to raise the necessary funds by a course of lectures through the coun try. As this is new work,it was resolved to send them an answer that it will be necessary to refer the case to the Spring Confer ence. In the meantime the Committee on Indian work will please ascertain all they can about the work at Atoka,as to the need of a boarding department,and the character of the work hitherto done.

Mr.Shields of the saw mill at Sitka,Alaska,needs more tools and cannot promise to do any more work without them. He is

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willing to work himself to secure some of the funds with the assist ance of some of the boys of the school. Thought wise to refer to the care of the secretaries as to whether this method of securing the necessary money is possible,and if not to urge granting the needed sum for these articles.

The School Committee approved yesterday the appropriation of $6000 additional for the extra building ay White Hall.

It is thought necessary to increase Miss Rue's salary, and this was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mrs James showed the petition against the opening of the World's Fair on Sunday,and stated that it was proposed to have all Synodical Committees supplied with enought to hand to all Presbyte rial Presidents and secretaries who will obtain as many prominent signatures as possible on their papers and return to this office. This was put as a motion and carried.

Mrs Dr.Dennis of Newark present through the meeting was unanimously elected a member of the Advisory Committee.

Motion carried that hereafter the name of the extra Penny a-day Mite boxes be changed to extra cent-a-day as we have no penny among out coins.

Meeting adjourned.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on October 19th,1891. Present Mrs Crosby,Miss Crosby,Mrs Allen,Mrs Wickham,Mrs Mason,Miss Peck and several others.

Mrs Finks reported about the work among the Sunday Schools/ The Superintendent seems to be more in favor of letting the children help in Home Mission work

Mrs Crosby took the chair in Mrs James' absence . Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Treasurer reported nineteen societies as having made their 20 per cent advance and $2000 in advance in the money from all quarters.

Mrs Finks spoke of the annual blanks and asked that a special committee be appointed to attend to them in case any changes are needed. Resolved that this matter be left until Mrs James can be consulted as no changes were suggested by the Assembly.

Dr Hill wishes improvements at Wewoka,Ind Ter but as the buildings do not belong to us,it was referred to the Finance Committee for further information.

It was suggested that the school at Purcell be moved to Paul's Valley,only expense books,teacher's salary,building in good order. Moved that we take this work up in case the School Committee approve. Carried.

At Wynnewood,Ind Ter teacher wants new room as hers was burned,will cost $500 of which the teacher offers to pay $100. The building burned was the teachers.

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The law is that the Indian children cannot be taught with the white

Resolved that if the money can be raised bwe approve and refer it to the School Committee.

Dr.Kirkwood wishes $33.82 for Costilla; $30 for San Rafael,which is very much needed. Moved that this money be paid.

Los Alamos,Colo asks that the school be reopened. Matter referred to Spring Conference.

Miss Beekman writes from Las Vegas,N.M. asking that she be authorized to make a change of $1 per day for board of transient guests at boarding schools,which was granted.

On Dr.Wishard 's advice the school at Samaria,Idaho is to be closed for the present,as thepublic school takes the pupils.

The additional traveling expenses of Miss Cora Young amounting to $5.36 were granted.

Motion carried that Fannie Willard's salary at Sitka/ Alaska be increased to $400.

$400 for drainage at Santa Fe,N.M.Granted.

Meeting adjourned.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
November 17th,1891.

1. Mr.Docking's statements regarding Alaska.
2. Las Cruces,N.M. Mrs Baggs thinks a very important point.
Pena Blanca/N.M. new floor needed.
Juneau,Alaska. New dormitory needed
3. Mrs Knox has written for money to be sent direct to her
Work in Kentucky to come under care of the Woman's Ex. Com.
Treasurer's report.
4. Disparaging statements of Freedmen's Board of our work
Chicago Exposition . Ladies do not want opened on Sunday
Samaria,Idaho. Miss Baker wishes to continue school.
Haines,Alaska. Needs enlargement. Dr Jackson.
Mr.Docking answered questions on Alaska.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday Nov. 17th,1891.

Notes of Mr.Docking's remarks on the situation at Sitka.

Mr.Docking stated that the school at Sitka has a force of teachers sufficient for four hundred pupils. Only about 180 pupils are now instructed,117 only in the boarding department. 72 boys and 40 girls. This is a proportion to be deplored. The girls from the rancheries and wharves must be brought in even if he go himself to bring them in. His heart aches for these girls. The boys have a better chance. For the girls it is almost hopeless. Impressed with the valus of Miss Willard's services,brought up in our school, now teaching 80 pupils. Normal training especitally adapted to native teaching is greatly needed.

One or two teachers having had normal school training would supplement white workers in a very desirable way. A certain proportion of white teaching to carry on the executive part of the work - the rest to be native teachers well instructed. Mission trained teachers are those that do the best work among the Indians of the Choctaw Nation. But the standard of scholarship to do this must be somewhat higher than is ordinarily formed. Printing should be taught at Sitka instead of pupils being sent to Carlisle. Theoretical training is of no use in our Indian schools,it must be practical and indutrial. Make thorough work at Sitka even at the expense of some of the smaller schools at other points. Sitka must be the strong point.

Regular business meeting commenced at 12 m. owing to the long prayer meeting preceding it. Present about 18 ladies. Minutes of last three meetings read and approved. Mrs Agnew reported as to Mrs Granger's crowded school-room that in a friendly letter she had asked if she could hold her school in the church to accommodate her large numbers.

Mrs Bagg from Phila stated that two years ago she had visited Las Cruces and could testify to its being a veryimportant point. Motion carried that the case be referred to Mr Menaul as to the advisability of Mrs Granger using the church building as she suggests.

A letter has been received from Mrs Thompson,Pena Blanca, N.M. asking for a floor for the school building as the dust was a serious annoyance. Motion carried granting this request.

Mrs Coleman writes expressing regret not being present to day,also that it is very necessary that Mrs Willard should have a new dormitory for the boys at Juneau. They are over crowded,and when sickness occurs Mrs Willard is obliged to take the sick case into her own room. Room is also needed for store rooms. She tells of a lot opposite the present building which she can write for if we think it advisable. Also that she can be influential in securing funds for the building. Mrs Bagg of Phila stated that the Phila ladies would co-operate with Mrs Coleman in this matter. Motion carried that Mrs Willard be written to asking her opinion of this proposition before any action be taken.

Mrs Bonner of Indiana writes that letters have gone out from Mrs Knox asking for money to be sent directly to her for scholarships instead of to the Board, for fear she will not receive it. Mrs Finks thinks it is only because the boarding scholarships for these girls in Miss Moor's school are always asked for as specials and have never come under regular work. It would seem now to be the time to consider this work as regular work and so appeal for it to the Board. A motion carried incorporating this opinion and referring the case to the secretaries.

The ladies of the Synod of Kentucky have been doing a great deal of independent work, before the Woman's Executive Committee commenced its work among the Poor Whites. At Pikeville there is a school which has been maintained by the women of Kentucky and we are now asked if we will hereafterreceive the money for Miss Bligh's salary so as the work may come under the Woman's Executive Committee. Motion carried that we accede to this proposal.

Treasurer's report.

Receipts for October	$25,366.00
" Freedmen	5,587.00
Increase over same month last year	6000.00

Mrs James asked that the Board be appealed to to make it plain to the Freedmen's Bureau that we wouldbe glad to have their disparaging statements of our work and the proportion given to their Board discontinued as containing only partial truth. Motion carried that the Board be requested to write such a letter to the Freedmen's bureau stating that.

Mrs Niven remarked the deep interest she felt in Mrs 3.

Alexander's helpful thoughts in leading the prayer meeting and Mrs James assured Mrs Alexander that all shared in the sentiment.

A letter was received at a meeting of the Synodical Annual meeting of Penna. held at Williamsport,a resolution was passed disapproving the holding open of the Chicago Exposition on the Sabbath. Resolved to acknowledgedwith gratitude the action of the Synodical Committee of Penna.

Miss Baker the teacher at Samaria,Idaho wishes to continue the school against the advice of the School Committee. As the closing of the school was recommended by Dr Wishard owing to the state of health of Miss Baker,it was thought wise to hold to the previous action and discontinue the school as advised by the Board.

Dr Jackson recommends the enlarging of the work at Haines The Board has buildings there well suited for the work,and a worker it would therefore be not much additional expense and Mrs Warne the wife of the missionary there could be put over it as matron. A motion carried that we refer the matter to the secretaries regarding the appealin to Government for the salary of the matron in view of the stand this Committee has recently taken to withdraw from Government aid as well as the proposition to putting up the Boy's Home at Juneau in view of the following statement.

Mr.Docking came in for the purpose of answering any questions the ladies might have to ask him. When questioned as to enlarging the Boy's Home at Juneau,he said that while there was

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room for many more boys at Sitka,he would advise boys from Juneau being sent there,but the crying need in Alaska is to save the girls Let the Home there be filled with young girls only preserving enough boys to do the hard work. There is a Government school in Juneau which is fairly good but we need compulsory education,the children do not attend these as they ought. But at Sitka they need a girl's refuge and he hopes before long to see some of the girls rescued in that way. He could not put into words the condition they are in. There is a good building at Howcan. All the carpentering as far as possible should be done by native builders. It will be better done,quicker and more economically. He thinks the saw-mill is not doing the work it ought,they find it very expensive to buy lumber there. He thinks all the furniture used there should be made in the country as well as many of their supplies.

Meeting adjourned at 2.P.M.

CONFERENCE WITH DR. JACKSON, DECEMBER, 1891.

The ice was very firm at Point Barrow, forty feet above and forty feet below the water. As the veseel could not land at Point Barrow on account of the ice, Mr. Stevenson visited the ship and was seven days in making the trip. He was happy, well, and hearty and had had a good year, but a great deal of trouble with the superintendent of the refuge station trying to fight the children away. Had about thirty attendants. Had trouble with the sailors in the Fall, with their licentiousness. The condition of things is simply horrible, beyond belief. Mr. Stevenson is very much encouraged however, so much so that if his wife can be sent to him next Spring at the expense of the Board, he is willing to stay another year, but does not look to this as a permanency. It would be well for the Executive Committee to be looking for somebody to take his place at the end of another year. A teacher sent there after five years in the school should be allowed a leave of absence, as it is necessary. There would be danger of their going crazy, as they see only natives.

At Prince of Wales the teachers have been overwhelmed with pupils, enrolling 304, average daily attendance 105. At this place the sailors said the people were very voracious, and said our teachers would not come out alive. Had to divide the people up to go to church, so that all could hear the Gospel. Mr. Warne is teaching in Chilcat and living at Haines. Mr. G. D. Coleman pays $300 of his salary. I think it would be well to establish a little home at Chilcat like the Willard's. This mission should be enlarged again and a home started which can be done by commissioning Mrs Warne and an additional teacher.

Hoonah never has been finished. Mrs Shepherd gave $1000 for a building, and the Government has given a contract for a boarding and industrial department. I do not think that Mr Mc Farland is capable of puttingup the building. Mrs James suggested that some of the graduates of the Sitka school be obtained and that they put up the building. We are allowed $4000 for this school and the only extra expense to the Board is $500. for an extra teacher. It would be best to write to Prof. Docking and have him take three or four boys and have him erect this building at Hoonah next Spring or Summer, and I would suggest Donald Austen, Rudolph Walton, Willie Wells, and Thomas Eaton. We could have a one room building for chapel and school room, finishing rooms in the attic for a lady teacher. At some future time it might be well to have a home there. There is not now a white man there but Mr Mc Farland. Every Summer the Indians leave the place. If we had a home it would be nice to keep the children while their parents are away. We are hoping for compulsory education all through Alaska, and then the attendance will grow from 40 to 150, and we will need three teachers. It would be well to es-

tablish a normal class in the Sitka school, as if the compulsory law is passed, we will need thirty native teachers, and they can be selected from this normal class. The teachers ought to watch and when they see a girl fitted out for this work take note of it (Dr. Jackson considers Miss Willard equal to any white teacher we have in Sitka). One of the boys in the school whose time is about out would make a capital teacher. We ought to have a normal teacher for this class, and she should go out next Summer.

Juneau:- They are getting along nicely, but Miss Matthews is breaking down.

Fort Wrangell:- Things are about the same: I am very sorry to hear that Mrs Thomas had to go out of the school room and Mrs Tilden be put in her place.

Sitka:- Mr Austin is a natural born physician. When he went there he got a homeopathic book and began work and has thus obtained a practical knowledge of taking care of the sick. This he has done for ten years. It would be well to have a homeopathic physician. The present physicians have gone to Sitka with a wrong idea. They do not consider that they have anything to do but go through the ward, feel the pulse, diagnose the disease, and write out the prescription. The only physician there is on the Man of War, and he is not always there. Dr. Thwing is not a Presbyterian, but belongs to the Church of England. They take turns Sunday evenings holding a Gospel meeting, but Dr Thwing reads the Church of England liturgy. The teachers say he throws out slurs against the Presbyterian church. He is unpractical, and he boasts that he has the Woman's Executive Committee back of him, that the Executive Committee will not listen to them if they write. He is an earnest Christian man, but visionary and unpractical. He has boarded the hospital up close, and will not allow a particle of ventilation. He has cut out a room for a drug room, and he proposes to run a partition through the boys' ward, by which one half of the ward will have no sun at all; instead of dividing it so that the sun would be in both rooms. Tillie Paul said she could not stand it any longer. Miss Guest does not know how to cook. She is not capable of doing anything. Mr and Mrs Healy, two Roman Catholics, have done a great deal for this mission, and Dr. Jackson was anxious that they should get a good impression of the school, and he asked Mr. Kelly if he could not bring them to dinner. He replied, "Ordinarily I would say, Yes, but Miss Guest does not know how to cook." I then asked if some of the other teachers would not do the cooking, so four of them turned in and got up a nice dinner, and let the advanced girls help them in the cooking. They did it nicely, and this impressed them more than you can imagine. I fear you will have trouble with Mrs De Vore. I would put the boys in the girls' hospital, and the girls in the boys' hospital.

CONFERENCE WITH SCHOOL COMMITTEE, Dec 12th,1891.

No objection made to first proposition by School Committee of new arrangement of treasury.

2nd,On obtaining sanction of one member of School Committe granted.

Representative granted at meetings of School Committee.

As to superintendent of buildings no definite answer was given. As to the spirit of the suggestion of approving such plans only as shall be approved by the Woman's Executive Committee,the School Committee are in perfect sympathy and have no desire to work otherwise than in unison.

As to a third secretary a committee is now in search of such an one as we feel the need of.

The ladies from Penna being asked for a statement of their views,Mrs Bailey suggested that the school Committee have entire control of the building fund,deciding which one is most important to be thoroughly equipped first ,and doing that one to completion before taking up the second. This would do away with much detail work now being done in the office. The more we can get the societies and individuals to give to the general fund instead of pressing chosen points,the better will our work be carried on. Dr Irvin endorsed thoroughly the statement of Mrs Bailey and urged the women to bring about this state of things.

Mrs Bryan asked whether we should urge the General Fund only or both that and the Building Fund. Dr Booth thinks to have but one fund would be getting very near to Heaven.

Mrs Boyd also gave her convictipnthat to work through the General Fund only was the point to aimfor,and said that Miss Eaton some years ago had given this as her opinion to Mrs Charles Walker.

Mrs James thought there was another side and that special objects might with wisdom be pressed upon societies,over and above their gifts to the building fund.

Dr Booth thought we are at present adjusting ourselves to circumstances and can only gradually work up to the higher plane of general giving.

Dr Kendall in closing begged the ladies never to feel backward in coming to him for any information they might desire. The other secretaries concurred in this expression.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Dec. 1st,1891.

1. Mrs Willard asks for leave of absence.
Juneau,Alaska. Severe cases of illness to go to Sitka.
Prof. Lawrence's name brought for approval as Principal of
Asheville Normal and Coll. Institute.
Name of this school.
2. Taos,N.M. Salary of assistant to Miss Hyson.
Isleta,N.M. School to be kept till spring
Plans for day and boarding schools
Committee on buildings.
Report of Committees
3. Indian field. Mrs Crosby.
Object of these committees and method explained.
Mexican Committee. Mrs W.H.Wickham.
Utah field. Mrs Honeyman.
Mountain Whites. A number of letters.
4. Secretary needed for the office. Mrs Boyd elected.
Dr Hill of Indian Territoryreports.
Old building at Old Dwight,Ind Ter burned
Poor Whites in Indian Territory
5.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday Dec 1st at 10.30 A.M. About twenty ladies present. Business meeting preceded by short devotional exercises.

Minutes of last two meetings read and approved. Mrs Finks then presented the docket and stated that Mrs Willard feels she must have leave of absence and asks for a year's leave without salary. She has been on the field for eleven years with only six months leave and that for a surgical operation. The case appealed at once to the sympathy of the Committee and a motion was carried that she be written to and leave.

A little boy having been very ill at Juneau was taken to the hospital at Sitka on consent of the Board and Mrs Willard asks if in serious cases of illness generally they may send them to Sitka without the long delay of waiting to hear from the Board. Recommended that this petition be brought before the School Committee with the hope that Juneau and Sitka may have co-operation in severe cases of sickeness without referring back to the Executive Committee. A motion was carried approving such recommendation. The name of Prof Lawrence is presented to us to day for our approval, as well as those of Miss Dean and Miss Halsey of the Normal Inst. Motion carried that with regard to Prof Lawrence we give our approval when we have his papers before us. Miss Dean is already in our employ,and investigationwill be made as to Miss Halsey's qualifications.

As to the name,Mr Dodge expressed satisfaction with the

ame "The Asheville Normal Institute" and it met with the approval f the Committee.

Miss Alice Hyson writes regarding her native assistant r.Vigil,that he should receive $30 a month for six months as his ervices are most acceptable to her. She believes they are on the ve of a religious revival. A motion carried that the desired ncrease be granted.

Mr Menaul reports regarding sending children from the sleta school to the Government school. He advises continuing the chool till spring. It was so ordered on motion by the Committee.

The secretaries recommend the Committee keeping on hand number of plans suitable for boarding and day schools buildings r chapel school-houses,which would greatly facilitate matters at ery building. Motion carried that this bplan be recommended to e Building Committee with power to put it in action.

Mrs James made known her wishes as to having a Committee buildings who will keep cognizant of all buildings belonging to ecutive Committee,and will be able to report upon them.

Mrs James then called for report from all the Committees the different branches of the work. The first report was from s Parsons as chairman of the Publication Committee,on the calen- rs which they have been getting up and hope to have ready by other week. Mrs Parsons also reported on a Manual of Prayer in ich the Foreign Board are uniting as well,and they hope to have nething ready which will be of much service to all those needing

uch assistance. Mrs Parsons also stated that hereafter she would cquaint the Committee on the 1st Tuesday in each month of any new leaflets which may beaccepted.

Mrs Crosby then made her report on the Indian field, giving the number of letters received by the various ladies on that committee. She said the teachers seem glad to have these friendly letters.

Mrs James explained in full the object of these commit tees on Mission fields,and the methdd of their working. A motion was carried that all chairmen of Committees be made acquainted with the changes of addresses of teachers onthe field,as they occur by Miss Lincoln.

Mrs W.H.Wickham as chairman on Committee on Mexicans,reported having mailed 28 letters in Sept,and had received 10 responses.

Mrs Honeyman reported from Utah correspondence a very encouraging letter from Mrs Logan.

Mrs Alexander sent report from the Mountain Whites,not being able to be present,which was read by Mrs Mason. Mrs Mason also read very interesting letter from Miss Garbold of Riceville, Tenn; 90 pupils on the roll. Mrs Hill reported interesting items from letter received from Miss Ufford,Locust Level,N.C. inwhich she speaks of a number of genuine conversions during the past year. Motion carried that a sub committee of the building committee be appointed to have care and supervision of all property of the

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Executive Committee.

Mrs James stated that the necessity arise to have a secretary in the office to take in a measure the place of Mrs Finks whose magazine duties engross the greater part of her time. She nominated Mrs Boyd for that position,Mrs Boyd has been for a long time connected with the work and has more intimate knowledge of it than any woman thought of during the past two years. Mrs Boyd was unanimously elected by a rising vote.

Dr Hill was asked to address the ladies at 1 P.M. He reported the burning of the small school house at Old Dwight. Happily it is not the new building and is insured. He has p lans for the new school building at Muscogee which he will shortly offer the ladies for their inspection. He hopes to save $900 in the building and have it ready by Jan 1st.

He then spoke of the only exceptional population in the United States as he thinks it,the poor white trash scattered all over the Indian Territory. In every state and territory,even in Alaska,there is provision by the government for the education of the children coming from universal taxation. 150,000 white people in the Indian Territory and no provision whatever made for them because the authorities say they cannot interfere with the rights of the Indians who control that territory. The Indians tax themselves for the benefit of their children,but they close the doors against the poor white children. They are in such numbers in the

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territory that our work for the Indians will count for nothing at all if we do nothing for these people They will intermarry and by so doing drag down the Indian,in every respect on a higher level at present than themselves.

Mrs James explained to Dr.Hill that the only reason we have not undertaken work among these people is because it is new work and for the last year,this we have been debarred from. We have wanted to start a school at Ardmore but understood that the Southern church was inclined to start it and we therefore held back Dr.Hill said there was not the slightest inclination on the part of the Southern church to do anything of the kind. He then spoke of the third teacher needed at Mc Alester,and said there was no use to try to continue the work there without. The Board approves our commissioning one for that place. Dr Hill is now paying the sala ry of Mr Schermerhorn himself rather than send him away when so much needed. He begged us to consider the other work among the Poor Whites of the Territory in the spring as new work for the coming year.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Dec 15th,1891.

1. Shall the Committee assist the Board with its debt.
Dr Williams,Muscogee,Ind.Ter. Time given to school.
Half holiday for office.
Mr Duncan's letter to be copied on Cyclostyle.
2. Treasurer's Report.
Salaries of teachers in Utah behind.
Hyrum,Utah, Miss Noble's assistant
Parowan,Utah Miss Mc Monigal breaking down. Needs assistance
3. Zuni,N.M. teachers for this place
Tahlequah,Ina Ter. Miss Atwater injured her arm.
Chaperito,N.M. Expenses of this school. Assistant
Birthday Calendar. Shall it be sent to teachers.
4. Hot Springs.N.C. Teachers breaking from overwork.
Red Land Ind Ter. School desired for whites and Indians.
5. Santa Fe,N.M. Laundry.
Tucson,Arizona. Sewing machines and organ needed.
Appeal for work among the Utes
Lottery system New Orleans
6. Tucson,Arizona. Tools needed.
Gunnison,Utah desires organ.
Sisseton,So Dak. Fence needed
Map of Alaska presented to Com. by Dr Jackson
More about Utes. Evangelists needed.

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Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday Dec 15th at 11.30 A.M. preceded by the regular monthly prayer meeting, presided over by Mrs Mc Williams of Brooklyn. An interesting account of the work at Wheelock was presented by Miss Lane of that school. About twenty ladies remained for the business meeting which lasted till 1.30 P.M.

Mrs James explained to those present the reason for the conference with the secretaries at our last meeting of Ways and Means Committee, that she had received a letter stating there would be better satisfaction with our work if we did something to help pay off the debt of the Board. The case was therefore put before the gentlemen, the unanimous opinion being expressed that our work had not come to a limit and that only in the support of an occasional evangelist could they expect us to render them assistance.

Mrs Boyd reported that a letter has been written to Miss Robertson of Muscogee, Ind Ter. as to how much time Dr Williams has been giving to medical work at Muscogee, before action shall be taken with regard to him.

As to the Saturday half-holiday in the office it was received with gratification and Mrs Boyd wished that all the ladies could see the conscientious performance of duty in the office and the delightful spirit pervading all engaged.

With regard to Mr. Duncan's letter from East Tennessee, a motion was carried that it be printed on the cyclostyle as it

will be of great interest to societies. Also Mrs Boyd thinks parts of a letter received from Mrs Stevenson of Point Barrow, Alaska is of sufficient interest to be so printed for distribution among societies.

Treasurer's report.	During November, 1891	$14,924
	" " ,1890)	--11,436-
	Increase	3,478

Slight decrease for Freedmen. Increase for the first half of Dec $538 over the same days last year.

Dr Wishard our Synodical Missionary in Utah writes that some of our most worthy teachers have not received their salary since last June. He presses the matter upon our consideration.

Miss Noble of Hyrum, Utah writes expressing dissatisfaction with her assistant, that she was a young girl taught in their schools, but is n ot quite strong enough morally or mentally for the position. Miss Lincoln thinks she might do satisfactory work with some other teacher, and a change might be in this way made. She thinks the case might be left to Dr Wishard with power.

Miss Mc Monigal of Parowan, Utah is really pastor as well as teacher, taking charge of the Sunday School services, there being no missionary there, but is now breaking down; she asks for the assistance of Miss Josie Curtis. The secretaries approve of this appointment, the more that she is on the field and there will be no traveling expenses to incur in placing her there. Moved and carried that Miss Curtis be appointed to the post for the balance of the year.

Miss Pond of Zuni,N.M. has had leave of absence from Jan 1st. No one has as yet been found whom we cound recommend for this important position. There is now however a lady on the field under government employ,and would be ready by Feb 1st to fill this place. Mr Boyd suggests that we recommission Miss Pond and request her to engage this lady to take her place during her absence. Her name is Miss Virginia Deeble.

Miss Atwater of Tahlequah has fallen and injured her arm and has gone to Chicago for treatment,but without asking permission. She writes asking forgiveness of the Committee if she has unintentionally offended.

A long communication from our teacher at Chaperito,N.M. which school has been supported by a California lady,paying $600 nearly three years. Miss Allen receiving $500 salary and the remainder going for the running expenses. Miss Allen now asks for $600 hereafter,but the gentlemen think it would be better to give her an assistant as her position is a very lonely one,and grant the extra salary in this way. It is thought that the reason she asks for an increase is because her bills for medicines etc. are large which she pays out of her own allowance. Motion carried that she be asked to send an itemized bill of her expenses for medicines etc., which will be hereafter paid by the Committee. A motion also carried that a scholarship pupil be commissioned to assist Miss Allen.

The new Birthday Calendar was shown the ladies present

d the question was asked whether it would be their desire to nd it free to all our teachers by soliciting contributions from iends and not asking for funds for it from societies or take it om our regular work. The desire to have it sent being unanimous motion was carried that we furnish as a Committee a copy to each our teachers to be sent off at once and that we depend upon the berality of friends to make good the amount,about $100 Also at a notice be put in the Home Mission Monthly stating that each acher would be furnished with a calendar for Christmas,by the ndness of friends ,so that societies need not send duplicates.

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Mrs Green of Gunnison,Utah,also made a request for an organ, having asked for one for six years.

A picket fence to surround the buildings at Sisseton,So. Dak. will cost $350. The money is partly in hand,the remainder would have to be secured as a special from some societies. On motion the putting up of this fence was approved.

Dr Jackson having sent the Committee a present of a very fine map of Alaska,a motion carried expressing a vote of thanks to Dr Jackson for his acceptable gift.

Mrs James read interesting letter regarding the Utes N.M. above referred to. Mr Gilchrist proposed sending two evangelists to teach among them and asks only that some money could be obtained for traveling expenses,$50 now and $50 at the beginning

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On motion meeting adjourned.

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Reports of various Committees
Mr Mc Fie from New Mexico. Lawyer
Indian field.
Utah field
Report of Publication Committee
Mrs Mason has heard from Mrs Colwell of Louisiana. Lottery
Report of distribution of letters
Dr Mc Millan's affliction
Siseton Agency,So. Dak. Miss Morrow ill
Mrs James daughter ill
Testimonies regarding H.M.Monthly
Mrs Gordon's name as vice president of Ex. Com.
Smithfield,Utah. Leave of absence for the Know sisters
Las Cruces,N.M. Mrs Granger breakin down
Chaperito,N.M. Salary of assistant . Scholarships
Matron for Sisseton Agency,So.Dak
Transfer of the Misses Dexter from Muscogee to Nuyaka.
Plans for Santa Fe,N.M.
Asheville,N.C. Day school
Illinois desires speaker.
Ohio desires speaker
Spencer Academy,Ind. Ter. Salary of Mr Caldwell.
Mrs Poole and daughter to go to Old Dwight
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Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday, January 19th
11.30 A.M. preceded by the regular monthly prayer meeting. This
conducted by Mrs Moses of Trenton, N.J. Interesting extracts
n a number of letters from different parts of the field were
d. Business meeting was attended by about thirty ladies. Min-
s of last regular meeting as well as those of Committee of Ways
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of General Morgan as to obtaining Government grants, and asked
Committee to consider what their attitude would be in view of
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Treasurer's report.

Total receipts for Dec	$27,863.57
Of which Ex Com. has received	$24,957.73
and Freedmen	$ 2,905.84
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The reports from various Committees on the field were then
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Prayers were offered by Mrs Boyd and Mrs Finks for a daughter of Mrs James lying dangerously ill in Washington.

Mrs Boyd said she wished those present to have some idea of what delightful testimony is constantly coming in for the Home Mission Monthly.,and for the beautiful Calendar as well, which is delighting the hearts of our teachers by its singularly appropriate quotations.

Mrs Boyd offered the name of Mrs Gordon for vice-president from Nebraska having had most beautiful tributes to her worth and high Christian standing. Motion carried approving the election of Mrs Gordon as one of our vice-presidents.

Miss Mary E.Knox of Smithfield,Utah writes that she and her sister have been five years on the field and ask for leave of absence this summer,and have been invited to go to Portland,at the time of our Annual meeting. Motion seconded that we allow the vacation so richly deserved to these two sisters.

Mrs Miller reported the visit of Mr Mc Fie to the office especially this information regarding Mrs Granger,who seems to be very much discouraged. Mrs Miller thinks she is doing noble work but is physically prostrated by the sad office she has been performing ever since she has been at Las Cruces of preparing with her own hands the dead for burial. This she has done thirty-one times according to her own letter,surely enough to shatter her nerves, Mrs Finks thinks she is burden.3

Prayers were offered by his loved and his kinks for a daughter of his, Jessie Lynn, dangerously ill in Washington.

Mrs. Ford made the wished-for request to have some idea of what difficulties would be encountered coming in for the home limitation [illegible] in Congress as well, which [illegible] by the singularly [illegible].

[illegible] the vice-presidential [illegible] to the north [illegible] a general appeal [illegible] the [illegible] sionata.

[illegible] leave of absence [illegible] to go to Portland, at [illegible] tion seconded that we allow [illegible] to the so two states.

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g herself as there is no necessity for, and Mrs James suggested nice letter from the office to help brighten her burdens.

Miss Lincoln noticed on the minutes that the native assistant Chaperito was to receive $100 whereas the scholarships for this pose are but $75. Motion carried that this matter be referred the office with the decision to be left to them as to the amount t to be allowed the assistant.

Miss Lincoln reported a matron at Omaha Agency,Neb who could telegraphed to go at once to fill Miss Morrow's place at Sisse ,So.Dak. during heriillness.

Dr Hill has transferred the Misses Dexter from Muscogee to aka and the School Committee ask for our approval. It was so ered by motion.

Mr Eaton states that he has not the plans to forward to Santa .M. and is waiting for them. Mrs Sinclair will have to be con ed.

Miss Stevenson does not know whether to continue the Day ol at Asheville and Miss Dwight is at a loss what to tell its orters. Mr Pease asks us to reconsider closing this school.

Chicago asks for a speaker to go through the Synod of Illi- Miss Robertson is thought to be the one for this field. oyd said that Ohio also asks for a speaker and Miss Robertson perhaps combine both requests with satisfaction. This was s a motion and carried.

Mr Daldwell of Spencer Academy, Ind. Ter. has been voted a sal of $800 but owing to a misunderstanding of Dr Hill he was prom- $900.

A motion carried that as Dr Hill has engaged a Mrs Poole and hter to take the vacant places at Old Dwight, Ind Ter and waits our approval; hthe appointment was sanctioned by a unanimous .

Mr Mc Kay writes thanking the Committee for the salary voted wife as matron and asks if the scholarships will be secured s. This we expect to undertake.

There has been an offer of $75 for the jewelled watch sent us unknown giver and it was thought best to accept it.

Meeting adjourned at a quarter after two.

Woman's Ex. Com.
Feb 2nd, 1892

Locust Level, N.C. Extra pupils for Miss Ufford
Mrs Gordon, Nebraska, vicepresident of W.E.C.
Miss Jackson, N.J. desires to correspond with teacher
Value of leaflets. Mrs Moses.
Plans for chapels and school houses. Electrotyped.
Mrs Metcalf recommended as speaker in Ohio
Miss Robertson for Ohio.
School asked for at El Embudo
Mrs Boyd's letter to C.E. Societies
Atoka, Ind. ter. Salary of teacher from Nation.
Anadarko, Ind. Ter. Building Fund
Closing of Columbian Exposition on Sabbath

Minutes of regular meeting of Woman's Executive Commit-
on Tuesday Feb 2nd at 10.30 A.M. Meeting presided over by
Honeyman in absence of Mrs James who was still with her sick
ghter. Meeting opened with reading of Scripture and prayers.
Boyd requested prayer from Mrs Alexander for Mrs James in her
ety and also for the daughter of Mrs Parsons also very ill.
Minutes of last meeting of Ways and Means Committee read and
oved.

Mrs James returns Miss Ufford's letter with following
estions. She thinks we must let Miss Ufford finish the attic
he proposes and have the extra pupils,but would limit her to
een as that is as many as two women can well care for. Moved
econded that the matter be left to the office with power.

Mrs Gordon who was appointed vice-president in Nebraska,
ts with sincere appreciation the appointment.

Miss J.T.Jackson of New Jersey writes a gratifying let-
xpressing desire to correspond with some teacher among the
in Whites. The name of some Day school teacher will be sent
ackson,hoping she may become more and more interested in that

Mrs Moses of Trenton,N.J. paid a warm tribute to the val-
leaflets and felt that more good was done by them than was
able.

The School Committee sends a recommendation to our Com-

tee "that a set of plans for chapels and school-houses be kept practical use and electrotypes be printed of them when needed."

Mrs Folsom, one of our vice -presidents formerly of Ohio now residing in St Paul recommends that a Mrs Metcalf be sent ough the societies in the neighborhood of St Paul as having the k well in hand. This recommendation was received with favor by Committee, and their approval will be sent to Mrs Folsom.

Mrs Miller reported regarding the visits of Miss Alice rtson through Ohio that since our action at the last meeting we ascertained that Ohio is expecting Mr Finks to lecture through state with his stereopticon during the spring months. Motion efore carried that Miss Robertson's visit through Ohio be de- ed till the fall in view of Mr. Fink's lectures through the ng months.

The Board sends a document received by them from El Em- written in Spanish but translated by one of the workers in ffice. It was written in the polished style peculiar to that e, offering to put up a building for a school and begging for cher, promising also to raise contributions for the Board in so s they shall be able.

Mrs Boyd read the letter prepared by her to be sent to ristian Endeavor Societies throughout the country. The paper ded by our motto, "Our Land for Christ". It gave a clear, sed statement of the work of the Woman's Executive Committee

the extent of the work,needing the co-operation of all the g people of our land,urging a pledge from all members of two s a week for Home Missionswork. A motion carried that the Com- ee accept with thanks Mrs Boyd's able and comprehensive paper order it printed and circulated when Mrs James shall signify pproval.

A motion carried that the question as to the offering of tificate to send societies as shall respond to the letter them by sending contributions,be left to a committee of three ecision.

Miss Lincoln reported that Dr Hill had received from the n of Indian Territory $250 to supplement the salary of the eachers employed at Atoka. He finds that $10 is not made up ks if we will add this to what has been raised. It was so d for the present year.

Miss Lincoln reported that the Phila ladies has raised for a building fund at Anadarko Ind. Ter. for the Kiowas. Dr s in the office yesterdayand says he can put up such a build is needed for the amount in hand. He now wishes the endorse the Committee. Two workers will carry on the work. Motion to leave the matter to the office with power.

Mrs Agnew reported that the committee to which was re- he action advisable for the Executive Committee to take in o the closing of the Columbian exposition on the Sabbath,

nds that so many appeals are coming from different organiza-
in this country as well as in Great Britain that it would be
appropriate for an appeal from the Woman's Executive Commit-
be added to these to a New York Senator and also to Mr De-
New York representative of the Commission. Motion carried
s a Committee we formulate a petition to be sent to Govern-
s suggested,and that thanks be tendered Mrs Agnew for the
she has taken in getting information on the subject.

Woman's Ex.Com.
Feb 16th,1892

Indian Territory. Discrepancy of salaries
Treasurer's Report
Sabbath observance at Columbian Exposition
Plans and estimates for Concord,N.C.

Joint Calendar. Home and Foreign.
Manual of Prayer.
Mrs Lawrence of Asheville,N.C.
Indian field. Mrs Martin reports
Mrs Bailey,Harrisburg,Pa Phila Presbyteries.Union.
Letter from Miss De Graf,Utah.
Letter from Maysville,S.C.
Washington College,Tenn. First contribution.
Letters from Utah by Mrs Honeyman.
Course of studies at Asheville,N.C.
Mrs Walker. Leaflets.
Envelopes for missionary offerings. Without "Home"
Omaha Agency,Neb. Transfer to Pinder
School in East Tenn.
Grassy Cove,Tenn. desires a piano
Home Mission Monthly to all C.E.Societies?
Miss H.Rockwell wishes to fit herself for medical missionary
Miss Bassett desires appointment.
Exhibit at Columbian Exposition.
Scotia Seminary desires representative of Com. at opening
Column in Evangelist.
Salaries of teachers transferred.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday Feb 16th at
30 A.M. preceded by regular monthly prayer meeting conducted by
s Parsons whose interesting words stirred the large number pres-
, leading them from the thought of the satisfaction of Christ
his soul's travail to the victory which he foresaw and which we
now realizing in the great success coming to us from all parts
his and other countries in the progress of missions. About
y ladies remained for the business meeting. Minutes of last
lar meeting as well as those of Committee of Ways and Means
and approved.

Mrs Finks stated in regard to the discrepancy of salaries in
Indian Territory, that salaries have to differ as expenses dif-
in various localities. Also as to whether board is intended
lary or not.

Miss Lincoln read treasurer's report for Jan 1892.

Societies	$3939.05
Miscellaneous	2326.69
Legacies	4521.11
Total	$10486.45

less for our part of the work than for the same month last
out $6000 in advance in Freedmen's work. $8742 advance in
hole fiscal year is reported.

rs Agnew reported on the matter of the Sabbath observance
Columbian Exposition, that she sought for advise the presi
f the Sabbath Committee of this city. His advice was that
Committee we should prepare a concise protest to be pigeon

d with numerous other petitions till the mass presented at once
l possibly make its impress on Government. This he concluded
preferable to sending in long lists of names. A motion was
ied that Mrs Agnew's suggestion to the Committee be received
thanks and the paper prepared will be handed back to Mrs Ag-
for her signature.

Miss Peck reported that the estimates made for Concord are as
too expensive and the plans will have to be reduced in some

Mrs Agnew reported that the Building Committee had sent es-
ally to Concord to ascertain the lay of the ground,the direc-
of the drainage etc. before accepting the plans of Mr.Smith
itect.

Mrs Parsons reported that it is thought the Ladies Board of
ign Missions will look favorably on the idea of a joint calen
o be issued another year,but suggests that we co-operate with
hila. ladies rather than with the New York ladies.

The Manual of Prayer is nearly ready and will be issued in as
a form as possible to render it within the means of all.

Mrs Lawrence,who with her husband is to take the superintend-
of our new Normal School at Asheville,N.C. was present and
ntroduced to the Committee. Prayer was offered for Mrs Law-
and her work,by Mrs Boyd.

rs Martin reported on correspondence on the Indian field
he letters are all encouraging that have been received. She

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r prayers for Miss Hurd who although very young is so anxious to ch the pure gospel,and her youth itself appealing to our sympa les.

Mrs Bailey of Harrisburg gave an account of the union of the la Presbyteries,and gave names of the new officers.

Also read interesting letter from Miss De Graf one of our chers in Utah and in it emphasizing the importance of keeping h our of the Union.

Another letter from Maysville,S.C. among the Freedmen. Much erest was added to this by Mrs Mason's statement that he mother brother gave the money for the first church put up there after war in 1865.

Mrs Boyd reported to Mrs Bailey that the first sum of money ised for the new Industrial department of Washington College come from Mrs Thaw of Allegheny. $250. Mrs Bailey knows of her $250 from the same city.

Mrs Honeyman read extracts from letters from Utah. One of teachers at Richmond stated she was treated with marked cour by the Mormon families even having invitations to tea at houses. Only two Gentile families in the place.

Mrs Mason reported having received no letters from the South- hite field,but had written several and sent books and papers

Mrs Nelson also reported having written and heard from White

,N.C.

Mrs Agnew had correspondded with Mrs Pease of Asheville,N.C.
he subject of the course of studies pursued.

Mrs Honeyman presented the names of Mrs Blair of N.J. and Mrs
son of Elizabeth as members of the Advisory Committee. These
voted upon unanimously and will be informed of their nomina
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After luncheon Mrs Finks brought before the Committee the
ula usually sent out to applicants for positions under the
ittee and presented a new one which she thought advisable to
ent to clergymen or friends applied to as to character of work-
It was accepted and adopted.

A new request for leaflets having come from Colorado,and a
amount being still unpaid for,a motion was carried that a
r of inquiry be written Mrs Walker,stating if there was no
for those already sent they might be returned to the office.

Mrs Boyd called attention to the envelope for missionary offer
that when the word Home was upon them they could not be used
oreign offerings as well, and suggested that there might be a
in number printed with Missionary Offering only upon them to
cases so requiring them. In so doing Mrs Boyd's idea was
a conference be held with the Foreign ladies to ask their co-
tion. Mrs Knox being present offered to bring the matter
the Foreign Board at their meeting to-morrow. Motion car-

that no definite action be taken till we hear the result of conference of Mrs Knox with the ladies of the Foreign Board.

Rev John Copley writes from Omaha Agency, Neb, that on consul-on with Mr Morris and others it is concluded that the best for the school for the Omahas, is at Pender on the railroad e a lot is likely to be offered and probably much will be con-ted towards the building. That the site must be changed is ted. They wish to put up a school to hold one hundred pupils ill ask for the site and $1000 towards the building from the e. The building now in use is an old one put up by the For-Board and is in a very undesirable location, twenty-five miles the railroad, and no steamers stop any longer at this point. The secretaries are ready for a conference on this subject.

carried that we consider favorably this proposition of the of site of the Omaha school, and that the sum of $5000 be ered sufficient to expend.

r. Milburn of Indianapolis writes to Dr Kendall, that his peo-e much interested in the opening of a school among the Poor of East Tenn. The appeal brought was referred to a later .

e piano begged for at Grassy Cove, Tenn will be presented in e Mission Monthly with the hope of having one offered, and al statement will be made that any one having a piano to the cause will confer much good by so doing.

The question was then discussed as to sending the Home Mission thly as a gift to all Christian Endeavor Societies securing the ed for two cents a week from members. After some discussion motion was carried that the Home Mission Monthly be not sent a gift but recommended for their subscription, and subscriptions icited among their members.

Miss Hattie Rockwell our teacher at Richfield, Utah wishes to e to Bellevue Hospital to fit herself for a medical missionary. Hoyd suggests writing to Dr Wishard as to her success as a cher before granting Miss Rockwell the testimonials she desires.

Miss Bassett has been visiting in the South and is so much erested that she would like to offer her services to the Board thinks she can promise much of her support from friends so as to be much of a burden. Matter referred to Spring conference Mrs James aksing if the Woman's Executive Committee desire to e an exhibit at the Columbian Exposition, of literature as well a place of meeting of their own. Motion was carried that Mrs in have this matter left to her as our factor and that she make ffort to secure a place for us where our literature may be dis- ed.

Letter came from Scotia Seminary expressing a desire to have presentative from our Committee at the opening of their new h Hall on the 17th of March. Motion carried that this Commit send a representative if possible in answer to this invitation.

Mrs Gallup has sent a request that we have a column in the angelist as the Foreign ladies have had hitherto. Recommended be referred to a Committee in the office.

Resolved that where there is a transfer of teachers, the estion of salary be decided upon the merits of each case, to be ided in conference with the secretaries of the Board.

Meeting adjourned at a quarter of four o'clock.

S.S.Brownell,

Rec Sec.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
March 1st 1892

Sitka,Alaska. Mrs Tillie Paul transferred to sewing dep't
Matters regarding Washington College,Tenn
Resignation of Miss M.E.Rogers.
Caddo,Ind Ter. two teachers not sufficient.
El Moro,N.M.Italians taking the place of Mexicans.
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Manning desires to come east to see her sister's children,as they have lost their mother.
Dr Wishard on the duties of Miss Rockwell.
Asheville,N.C. Miss E. Van Voorhees wishes the kindergarten.
Concord,N.C. Public money; she would like to,retain
Actions of School Committee as follows
Miss Brady be relieved
Mrs Tillie Paul be removed from hospital
Logan,Utah. Pump and well granted.
Name of new buildimg at Asheville,N C.
Santa Fe plans left to the office with power
Tucson,Arizona. Visitors requested to stop
Mr Mondragon desires bibles and tracts for hispeople
Prayer desired for Miss Skea of Tama,Iowa. She is ill.
Concord,N C. Furnishing of a room in memorial
Space needed by us at Columbian Exposition
Parsonage at Riceville,N.C. Miss Stephenson
Matron recommended by Mr.Dodge for Asheville Institute
Letter regarding World's Women's missionary conference
Mora,N.M. Needs new roof. Imperative.
Miss Blackburn desires recommission among Mountain Whites
Free sample leaflets.
Impure literature Bill before Congress
Letter to teachers on condition of furnishings.
Map of China. We could have the same.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tueday,March 1st at
A.M. Meeting opened by reading of Scripture by Mrs James
everal prayers. Present twelve ladies. Minutes of last reg
meeting and those of Committee of Ways and Means read and ap-
d with necessary corrections.

Mrs Finks suggested the transfer of Mrs Tillie Paul to the
g department at Sitka as she has acapacity for that kind of
This was presented in the School Committee yesterday as a
stion from Mr Docking. Motion carried that we approve this
fer.

Mrs Boyd reported that at a called meeting held last
a letter was read from Rev Mr Elmore of Tenn. showing how the
invested in Washington College could be held by the Board,
ecommended the raising of small fruits with the idea of can-
them during the summer months by the boys. These suggestions
Elmore were received favorably by the School Committee.

Among other recommendations of Mr Elmore is the appoint-
f Mr. and Mrs Willoughby at the head of the Industrial Depart
Also that the four girls in Mrs Willoughby's employ can be
ed. Motion carried that the Committee regard favorably the
tions of Mr Elmore as presented to the School Committee.

The resignation of Miss M.E.Rogers came before the called
g and it was deemed advisable to accept it. Motion carried
he Committee accept the resignation of Miss Rogers with regre

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Miss Knight of Caddo,Ind Ter. writes that the two teachers ployed at this point are not sufficient to meet the needs of the ace and asks if she cannot employ an assistant. It is thought ss Knight has her mother who can assist her.

Miss Maggie Willey of El Mora,N.M. writes that a great ny Italians have come to the place lately and have taken the pla- s of the Mexicans in the various branches of the work,causing eat changes in her school; fifteen have left and more are going. e asks advise of the Committee. Miss Lincoln spoke of the bet- r field at Capulin and thought she might be sent there. A motion rried that we consult the secretaries as to making this transfer.

Miss Manning,the sewing teacher at Santa Fe,N.M. has lost sister who has left two children. She feels she must come east is summer to look after them and see how they are placed. She ll pay her own expenses,and will decided as to returning to the eld after seeing whether or no she must remain with them to care r them. Motion carried that she be allowed this request.

Dr Wishard wrote regarding Miss Rockwell's undertaking duties of professional nurse,that his opinion is that the du- s of a teacher in Utah are sufficient to fill the heart,and e of any worker but as she is not thoroughly acquainted with s Rockwell he will endeavor to see more of her and then give opinion. Motion carried that a letter of sympathy be written

ishard on his own sickness and our willingness to abide by his ment.

Miss Emma Van Voorhees of Asheville,N.C. asks if she can the kindergarten department at Santa Fe,N.M. as her heart is hat work and she thought she was no longer needed at Asheville he Committee feel that Miss Stephenson is anxious to have Miss Voorhees take charge of the primary department in the Day ol, the latter will be written to asking her to remain in Ashe- e and fill this position.

Concord,N.C. Miss Carpenter writes asking if she may n the public money hitherto coming to the school to continue chool during the summer months for the younger children oth- e running loose without any one to care for them. She could he assistance of some of the older girls to teach them. A mo- carried that Miss Carpenter's request be granted,if approved hool Committee.

Mr Boyd came in to report actions taken by School Commit esterday,viz:-

That Miss Brady be released from the services of the at Sitka;

That Miss Tillie Paul be removed from the hospital to the department,that the cases of Mr and Mrs Thwing,Mrs De Vore s Saxman be deferred for the present.

The request from Logan for a pump and well costing $29

granted.

Asheville,N.C. That the name of the new building be lled the Asheville Institute,and that the circulars prepared be proved.

Santa Fe,N.M. The plans were left to the office with powe

Tucson,Arizona. That visitors stop at this school en ute to meeting of General Assembly.

Mrs Galloney stated that she had received a letter from Mondragon asking for Bibles and tracts for his people. Mrs lloney was adsked to send this letter to Mr.Eaton as he attended such supplies.

Mrs Martin requested prayer for Miss Skea of Tama,Iowa is now suffering from illness and begs our remembrance. Mrs tin lead in prayer that Miss Skea might be restored and support

Mrs Roberts of Phila,Pa wants to send $25 to furnish a m atCConcord,N.C. in the hospital,in memory of a cousin's daugh . As it is thought the sum mentioned too small to furnish a m,it would be well to ask Miss Stryker not to appeal for this for that purpose and that Mrs Roberts be asked if she would be sed with a room for the four girls needed by Mrs Willoughby ashington College Industrial Department.

Mrs Martin asked for information as to the appeal she o make for space needed by us at the Columbian Exposition.

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00 square feet are to be reserved for the religious department
he Columbian Exposition. After discussion it was decided that
Martin appeal for a room for our literature of half the size
ur meeting room in Lenox Hall, and that she sign her name as
ing for the Woman's Executive Committee of Home Missions.

Mrs Finks read letter from Miss Stephenson of Asheville
erning the parsonage at Riceville recently used by Miss Good-
and Miss Garbold and now needed for the new minister about to
nt there.. Miss Gorbold is to leave the work to continue her
ducation, and she begs a successor will be given to Riceville
e same salary $300 The new teacher could board in the parson
ith the minister. Miss Goodrich has a young woman in view.
n carried that we ask Miss Goodrich with Miss Stephenson to
the selection of the teacher for Riceville. She speaks of a
nine miles distant, Whitteds without any educational or reli-
advantages, to which MissGoodrich wishes now to go. There is
ool house there which is at her disposal, but she wants an as-
t to whom she will furnish board, and thinks a salary of $250
e sufficient. Miss Goodrich will put up a log cabin for
needs. Motion carried that we appeal to the School Committee
ow us to send an assistant to Whitteds for Miss Goodrich, and
he be asked to make this selection also.

With regard to Miss Halsey recommended by Dr Dodge for
neville Institute as matron, she has been to the office and
very pleasant impression.

Mrs James read letter regarding the World'Women's Mission y Conference that the Conference meet at the Exposition in Chica in 1893 and in the building to entertain the World's Conference see that Home Missions shall be presented as well as Foreign s Martin suggested that we appeal to Dr Barrows on this point as airman of the Congress Committee. Motion carried that we place r work under the care of the Congress Committee. It was also ked in same letter if we would be in favor of a supplementary eting of two days in one of the churches in this city. A motion s carried approving this with the understanding that as a Home ssion Committee we have space for our work.

Mrs Finks read letter from Mora,N.M. that the recent ws have broken in the roof and a new one is imperative. Mr.Me- l writes it may cost $300 but will do it for as much less as is sible. Motion carried that this amount be appropriated as roved by School Committee for the roof at Mora.

Mrs Blackburn writes asking for the re-commission of her ghter for the work among the Mountain Whites. They both intend nding the summer in the Mountains and propose working during r vacation. The Mormon girl they have cared for it was suggest ight go to Asheville to pursue her studies. It was decided rite Mrs Blackburn that her daughters name would be put on list pplicants,and that she be asked if it would be agreeable to to have application made for her to the Home at Perth Amboy.

Applications coming for sample leaflets free,from differ-

t societies, the question was asked if they could be thus supplied this has been our habit to leave such cases to the discretion of r secretaries it will so continue.

Mrs Martin told of the efforts being made to restrain e dissemination of impure literature all over the country, and of e bill that was coming now before Congress on this same line and ich will be bitterly opposed by a large proportion of both Hous . She is giving much of her time to the opposing of this loose stribution of obscene matter through the mails and she asked the ayers of the Committee on her efforts. Motion carried that we nd a petition to the House of Representatives urging the amend- nt to the Postal Bill now before against this carriage of impure tter in mails.

Mrs Parker read letter prepared by herself and Mrs Gallo y to teachers asking the condition of the furnishings of their nes. It met with the entire approval of the Committee.

Mrs Boyd showed a very complete map of China showing the tory and religious work of the country which she thought might ve as a sample to us for sections of our country. It was left h the secretaries in our office for their consideration to re- t the result at the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 1.30 P.N.

CONFERENCE WITH MRS SINCLAIR & BOYNTON OF IOWA.
March 5th.,1892.

A conference was held with Mrs Sinclair and Boynton of a,to which the secretaries of the Board were invited. The sub-t for consideration was the work among the Sac and Fox Indians, ch was turned over to the Board of Home Missions two years ago the Foreign Board of Missions.

For six years the average attendance was two from a be numbering 400 owing to a prejudice that existed against the istian schools. Finally this prejudice was removed and now there from ten to forty in the Mission Home every day. The Government ns to be doing a good work,and it was thought wise to continue missionary work among these Indians for the present,and not empt to establish an industrial work,as has been done in some er portions of the mission field.

Miss Skea,our missionary,is a most faithful ,devoted er,and through her efforts and example the Indians at this t have learned much of the true Gospel of Christ.

Mrs Boynton,Cor.Sec. of the Synodical Society of Iowa, de-bed a council held with the Indians at which our mission teach-ynodical missionary,the Indian agent,Gen.Morgan and others present.

Meeting adjourned.

Mrs Miller. Sec.

CONFERENCE WITH DR. JACKSON.
March 12th,1892.

Mr Docking to have full control. The former Sup't ,Dr. kson says has never had half a chance. He thinks the present ble has arisen because of Prof Docking's attempt to exercise authority which belongs to him. He also thinks that the pastor Sup't's departments should be independent in its own work. new church building will soon be ready for occupancy. It was ested that it might be well to build a manse and separate the ch work from the school work, upon general principles it seems to keep these two departments entirely separate in their man- ent. A vigorous competition between the Greek church and our ch,the former have taken 300 members from the heathen popula- ,thus diminishing the resources from which we expect to draw he doing of our work. Dr.Jackson stated that the chief cause of want of harmony among the workers at Sitka was with Dr Thwing. tter from Prof Docking was read by Mrs James. He recommends Mrs Shields be appointed matron;she is reported to be most hful and devoted to our work. Prof Docking says that all in- have had a part in the disturbance. Dr Jackson thinks Miss ey is not true to the cause,and thinks that she is responsible much of the trouble. He recommends that Miss Kelsey would do in some field whete she would be free from any environment of ciate workers. Miss Kelsey is a fine teacher.

Mrs James asked Dr Jackson what could be done to avoid iculties. He answered that poor food and fuel were at the bot- of much of the trouble. Fuel - wet wood,which is a great tri- o the work - poor cooking was the result. Dr Jackson said he d in the near future to introduce steam into the school- s and homes of Alaska.

A recent letter from Mr Austin announces the fact that a number,10 or 12 of the Chilkats came to receive baptism at ,a distance of 266 miles. This is the result of the influence e young people educated at the Sitka school.

Dr Jackson thought a cottage location in some favorable where teachers could go for a little change and rest occa- lly,would be a good thing.

Dr Jackson said that notwithstanding the occasional diffi es that arise,the work is being wonderfully blessed. Conse- d workers are there who are striving for the redemption of laskans.

It seemed the best plan to have a cottage for Mr and Mrs ,g iving the rooms they now occupy to Prof and Mrs Docking.

The wisdom of having a lady physician at the Sitka hospi s discussed. For a cook,a good sensible daughter of a far

Dr Jackson says that Dr Thwing is not able to diagnose ase correctly, and in consequence many deaths have occurred. hwing seems wanting in the qualities which make a successful ician. In the matter of fidelity to the Presbyterian church eems to not be possessed. He has disparaged the discipline of Presbyterian church and has upon occasions used the ritual of Episcopal church. Dr Jackson advises the experiment of a lady ician at Sitka.

An expression of thanks was extended to Dr Jackson by James for the very valuable suggestions he had made, and infor- on given. After Dr Jackson had retired, the secretaries were ed in. A consultation in regard to an excursion to Alaska at time of the meeting of General Assembly, at Portland. A steamer d be chartered if sufficient number of tourists could be ob- ed to warrant such an expense. Mr Eaton reported that the par- arranging for the excursion to Portland were also able to ar- e for a trip to Alaska. Mr Eaton will correspond with parties report as early as possible.

The secretaries were consulted regarding the unpleasant ation at Sitka. In regard to the sickness among the boys, Mr n stated that the covering or shed which was provided for the while they were at work had never been erected. Dr Irwin ed that a house be built separate from the school to be occu- by the minister, as his duties are separate from the school It seemed wise to have the Sup't in the school building he could be found easily when needed.

Mrs Miller

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
MARCH 15th, 1892

Treasurer's Report
Visit of Prof and Mrs Lawrence, Washington College, Tenn
Aid for Old Dwight, Ind Ter from Westchester churches
How the money for Old Dwight shall be raised
Report from Mexican Committee
" " Poor White Committee
Mountain White work pressing and interesting
Resignation of Mr Smith, shoemaker at Sisseton, So.Dak.
Gunnison, Utah. Miss Wray would like another position 7C
Recommendation of Mrs Moore for her successor
Miss Jennie Mc Ruer to be married. They are to go to Elm City
Kaysville, Utah. Miss Osborn desires spring vacation.
Mrs Riggle not to be commissioned at Las Vegas, N.M.
Resignation of Miss Fredericks, Malad, Idaho.
Memorial building, to be placed at Taos, N.M. (Pyle)
Altan/N.C. Miss Mc Donald to be transferred
New set of school books brought before the Committee
Disposition of Calendars.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday ,March h 1892 at 11.30 A.M.,preceded by the regular monthly prayer ting of one hour led by Mrs Wood of Staten Island. This meeting largely attended,the subject being Alaska,thetopic for the th,and Mrs Finks gave a full and interesting account of work he various poin s. She was followed by Miss Rogers who gave ther facts.

The minutes of the last regular meeting as well as those ays and Means Committee read and approved with necessary correc s.

Miss Lincoln then read treasurer's report,which showed

societies for March	$4,992.58
miscellaneous sources	1,022.51
legacies	4,521.11
	10,536.20

Advance during the whole year for Freedmen $5,232.29

In the whole work we are at this moment $6000 behind same last year but as $5600 is still due from Government this may ome in.

Mrs Boyd reported visit of Prof. and Mrs Lawrence,the intendent of the Industrial departments of Washington College to the office. The selection of the teachers department left with Prof Lawrence he is gradually securing those well d to fill the positions now open.

Mrs Parsons explained as to her endeavor to secure aid d Dwight from churches in Westchester Presbytery,not as yet but ing to Home Missions,that she finds on inquiry almost all

churches do something for Home Missions are not auxiliary to s Committee, and that nothing can be proposed to them until their ual meeting.

Mrs Crosby thought the Spring Conference coming so soon will probably then be decided how this money for Old Dwight can raised. Mrs Alexander still holds her offer of furnishing building when completed, but she thinks it necessary to press building with energy or it will be left undone. Miss Lincoln ted that Mr Eaton is considering the matter and will tell us plans in a few days.

The reports being called for from the Committees corres- ing with teachers, Mrs W.H. Wickham stated having written twenty- letters to the teachers in New Mexico.

Mrs Alexander read extracts from letter from Miss Garbold a statement was made that any one having religious or illustra papers to dispose of may always receive names of persons desir of having them here at the office.

Mrs Boyd stated that we may expect an avalanche of ap- for work among the Mountain Whites, all of them equally press nd interesting. Let us therefore be prepared for a great work these people.

Mr. Smith the shoemaker at Sisseton Agency, So Dak. sends esignation which we are very glad to accept, as he belongs to isaffected party. Motion carried that this resignation be ac-

ted.

Miss S.C.Rhea of Gunnison,Utah would like another positio year and would like her pupil Serena Neilson to be placed her. Mr Boyd remarked that it is the opinion of the office Miss Wray can do excellent missionary work and with this in she will not be definitely appointed at present.

Mrs Moore,Nuyak/Ind Ter. who leaves the work there this ,recommends Mr.Marshall as her successor at this point. While alue Mrs Moore's estimate of Mr.Marshall it will be necessary ind other testimony by correspondence.

Miss Jennie Mc Ruer,is about to be married to the Board's ionary,Mr.mathers at Ft Gibson,Ind Ter. It is this couple who o be sent by the Board to Elm City to work among the Cherokees n made that we accept the resignation of Miss Mc Ruer with rs for her future success.

Miss Osborn the principal teacher at Kaysville,Utah,asks e may teach during the spring vacation in order to go to Port to be present at our Annual Meeting. As Miss Osborn is one r most interesting teachers and will make an excellent speaker s moved and seconded that Miss Osbron be allowed to carry out an. Miss Mitchell her assistant who asked to come east durin ring vacation will have her request reconsideredowing to roposition of Miss Osborns.

Mrs Riggle has been written to that she will not be re-

missioned at Las Vegas,N.M. another year. The other teachers l therefore be written to of the transfer of Mrs Riggle so that y may feel like continuing their services.

Miss Fredericks at Malad,Idaho,sends in her resignation m purely perdonal motives. Motion carried that Miss Fredericks signation be accepted with regret.

Miss Roland of Fernandez de Taos,N.M. writes that the orial building to be put up there is to be placed at Mr.Menaul's ice onthe ground already belonging to the Board,therefore ren- ing it needless to purchase the old building for the purpose of uring the lots.

It is proposed that Miss Mc Donald who is working with Hotchkiss at Altan,N.C. be transferred to Locust Level,N.C. ot Springs and that Miss Macintosh of Asheville be sent to be Hotchkiss " assistant.

Mrs Martin bringing before the Committee a new set of ol books highly approved of,a motion carried that Mrs Martin he matter before Mrs Agnew and bring the result before the ittee later.

Question arising as to the dispotition of the calendar lower rate then selling price,on motion it was referred to the cation Committee in consultation with Mrs Finks.

Meeting adjourned at 1.P.M.

Woman's Executive Committee
April 5th,1892.

Asheville,N.C. Miss Stephenson's health. Scholarships
Tucson,Arizona,and Santa Fe,N.M. scholarships.
Juneau,Alaska. Miss Matthews needed during Mrs Willard's absence.
Sitka,Alaska. Commission of Mrs Docking.
Sitka,Alaska. Girl sent to Portland.
Juneau,Alaska. New Building.Money for it.
Utah.Salt Lake City. New building.
Montpelier,Idaho. Leave of absence for Misses Crowell and Leon
ard. More about the work
Hyrum,Utah Miss Johnson's commission
Raton & Santa Fe,N.M. Tuition for these schools.
Hampton Institute. System of marking pupils.
Curriculum of study &c. Mrs Agnew desires aid.
Las Cruces,N.M. Mrs Litsey to be employed longer.
Laguna,N.M. Purchase of house
Nuyaka,Ind.Ter. Resignation of Miss Dexter
Nuyaka,Ind.Ter. Mr Marshall.
Pelican Lake,Minn. Building
Coralles,N.M. Miss Stivers desires Easter vacation.
Anadarko,Ind Ter. transfer of Mrs Fraser to Red Land. No
Asheville,N.V. Resignation of Miss Mc Intosh.
School in West Virginia asked for.
Harlan Court House,Ky. Desired to close school early.
Books of Hygiene and use of narcotics for our schools
Equalizing of postage on all printed matter.
Mrs F.Pierson as Secretary in the office.
Notice of Annual Meeting
Mr Simmons. Jella Corrupt judge removed from Sitka,Alaska
Plans for laundry at Santa Fe,N.M.
Laguna. Pueblo Indians need supervision.Minister needs house.
Mrs Holbrook,Portland,Oregon. Annual Meeting.
Miss Atkinson,stenographer desires increase of salary.
Juneau,Alaska. Indian interpreter; payment
Mrs Walker,Colo to attend Annual Meeting at Portland.
Mrs Metcalf recommended as speaker through societies.

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Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday,April h,at 10.30 A.M. About twenty ladies present. Meeting opened reading of Scripture by Mrs James and several prayers were of-red. Minutes of last regular meeting as well as those of meet-gs of Ways and Means read and approved.

Mrs Boyd reported having heard from Mr.Pease regarding ss Stephenson's health,that he agrees with her that she is not in d of the change that we propose for her,however he could ar-ge for her absence if necessary. Mr.Dodge has been in the of-e and suggests as a solution of the dilemma that $25 be sent her to be used in horse back riding in that beautiful country ch will doubtless be of great benefit to her. It is found that ting her quarterly letters to societies is quite a tax upon Miss phenson and a motion was carried that she write three letters tead of four during the year. Mrs Finks thought Miss Stephenson ld write one general letter which might be cyclostyled as needed sent out to the various societies,which would therefore leave but two to write. This was put as a motion and carried.

Miss Rogers stated that there were 140 scholarships in Tucson school and a large number at Santa Fe,N.M. and made in-y why the same rule should not hold good with all our teachers. as so ordered on motion.

A telegram was sent Miss Matthews after her accident at aul,Alaska,asking her to go as soon as she felt aboe to fill

llard's place during her absence.

As to the commission of Mrs Docking,wife of the Supt. at Alaska,as matron,the time has come when she is ready for it. on carried to give Mrs Docking her commission with $300 salar

Dr Jackson writes that Miss Kelsey without asking advice ne of the Sitka girls to Portland where a lady took her itno me with the idea of adopting her. She was found to be a uni and soon tired of her new change. The girls was then put in 't school in Salem and it is thought she would be much bet- back again in Sitka. Dr Jackson advises us to take imme- ction. A motion carried that we correspond with the Board North Pacific with the view of their looking after the girls . Mrs Cruikshank also will write a cousin living in Port- see if she can do anything for her.

Mrs Willard writes that if the new building at Juneau be ready by the Fall the school will have to be closed. Mrs ported being in receipt of about $100 the first offerings this new building,and said we would have to press the mat- word of mouth in all directions to secure the funds within lays. Mrs Greenleaf having contributed $50 ,Mrs Blair prom ther $50 on the spot. Mrs Finks proposed making an appeal ome Mission Monthly,with a copy of the account recently Mrs Willard of an Alaskan Indian showing his struggle kness to light through the workings of the Holy Spirit.

From Utah a letter has been received from Dr Mc Niece,

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to buying a new lot and putting up a new building at Salt Lake y. The Board of Aid for Colleges thinks it too essential a sionary work to claim their assistance any more than a hearty pathy and possibly the salary of one teacher. He thinks the mat can be looked into as the delegatesto General Assembly pass ough Salt Lake City en route for Portland.

Miss Leonard writes from Montpelier,Idaho,that she and Crowell ask for leave of absence to visit their aged parents summer as it is four years since they have been east. She also any of the ladies to stop and see them on their way to Port- and be braced by their invigorating air. Sixteen of Miss ell's Bible class have recently professed their faith,and Miss ard holds a Sunday School of fifty scholars on the Opera house e surrounded by the trappings of the play. Their ladies Home ionary society are trying to raise the money to put up a church ding and they beg permission to appeal to friends for help,for are sure to have a deficit in spite of their efforts. Mrs thought a letter might be written her of the possible assist of the Church Erection Boards and that we will also have the r in mind. Mrs Eichbaum of Obi,N.Y. being present handed Mrs Boyd to be sent to Miss Leonard for the new church.

Miss Johnson assistant teacher at Hyrum,Utah asking for ssion it was decided to continue her present salary to the f the school year without commission.

Miss Allison and Miss Beekman write asking advice as to

uring tuition for many of their pupils. They suggest a circular ter being prepared for them which they could distribute, stating ms for boarding and day pupils, as well as Sunday rules and regu- ions binding them. They think it will develop self respect in community and will look less like a system of proselyting among large proportion of Romanists. A unanimous vote showed the timent of the Committee and the thanks of the Committee will be warded to them for the organization of such an excellent plan their willingness to develop it. The correspondence with re- d to the circular was referred to Mrs Agnew.

Mrs James wishes Mrs Martin to write to General Armstrong earn the system of marking in the Hampton Institute.

Mrs Agnew asking for helpers on the Committee on the Cur- lum of study and management of our schools, had suggested to Mrs Frederick Pierson and Mrs Howard Duffield with Mrs Sinclair she can serve.

Mrs Granger writes from Las Cruces, N.M. and asks if she employ Miss Litsey for three weeks longer as her hands are , and the children like her very much. They have 75 children nore promised for another year. She therefore thinks it will be sary to engage her services for the whole of the ensuing year. ould take the appointment at a salary of $35 a month.

It is proposed that the Board purchase for $400 the lit- ouse at Laguna, N.M. built by Mr Menaul that the new missionary

Shields may occupy it. His letter was handed us by the secreta-
es with whom on motion it was decided to confer before giving
r opinion on the matter. Miss Floretta Shields case will also
brought before them.

Miss Dexter of Nuyaka,Ind Ter sends in her resignation
she is about to be married,but her sister will remain at her
t but asks for a vacation. She expects to forfeit her expenses
but would be glad to avail herself of reduced rates on her
urn.

Mrs Moore of Nuyaka,Ind Ter writes that Mr Marshall is a
d man,but has some doubts as to his efficiency on the whole.
ference with the secretaries necessary.

Miss C.Dougherty writes from Pelican Lake,Minn that they
l do their very best to make their building as attractive as
sible with the funds promised.

Miss Stivers writes interesting facts of her work at
lles,N.M. and asks for an Easter vacation as she took no Christ
holiday and is very tired. Motion carried that this vacation
ranted.

Dr Hill recommends that Mrs Fraser who is now at Anadarko
ransferred to Red Land ,Ind Ter,but this is opposed by some
as she is doing good work at Anadarko,and Red Land has a teach
t was thought advisable to retain her at this point.

Miss Mc Intosh of Asheville,N.C. writes that owing to
matters she must leave her work. She envies those who feel
can remain as her heart is much in it. Motion carried that

r resignation be accepted with regret.

Mrs King of Baltimore asks of the Board for a school in st Virginia. A gentleman friend knowing the destitution in that ction offers to build the school-house as well as pay a part of e salary of a teacher,only asking us to supplement in a small gree. A motion carried that the case be brought before the Sprin nference with the desire expressed that this work may be under-en.

Miss Jennie Campbell of Harlan Court House,Ky asks if may close the school a little before the eight months shall pse as the scholars drop off and make it almost useless to con ue. Motion carried allowing Miss Campbell to use her judgment this matter.

Mrs Agnew having had a set of school books sent her by Martin to examine recommended by the W.C.T.U. and approved by Government,mostly on hygene and the use of narcotics,etc., as ibly useful in our Mission schools. She finds them excellent hopes they may find a place in our schools. Mrs Agnew made a on that this subject be taught in every grade in every one of Mission schools. Motion was carried. Proposed that this set of s be brought up at the Spring Conference for consultation with secretaries.

Mrs Martin bringing up the fact that a bill is before ess striving to equalize the postage on all printed matter, literature now paying but one cent a pound whereas religious r is valued at eight cents,it was referred to the office with

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r to write a letter to be sent to Congress urging that the smission by mail of all literature be hereafter equalized. A on embodying this sentiment was unanimously passed by the Com.

An adjourned meeting was held at 2.30 P.M. Mrs Freder Pierson of Elizabeth being under consideration as a secretary he office,a motion was carried that she be asked to fill such ce at a salary of $50 a month for the first six months and at rate of $1000 a year after,should the arrangement prove satis ory.

Magazines and papers are to be notified of the Annual ing.

Mr Simmons of Summit N.J. came in and gave a lost inter- g account of the removal of a corrupt judge from Sitka,Alaska lso of his visit to Mr Duncan.

Mrs Sinclair brought in plans for the Santa Fe,N.M. laun iss Allisons and Mr Smiths. Miss Allison gave as her opinion the latter could be arranged to obviate any objections. The if built of brick will be $3000; if of adobe $1000. Question ich shall be used.

Mr Boyd came in to state that the Pueblo Indians in ifferent points about Laguna need the supervision of a minis d he must needs buy a house there as there is none to rent. auk offers his house for $400. By assisting in this purchase hools will have much needed supervision. Decided to postpone till the Spring Conference.

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Letter coming from Mrs Holbrook of Portland regarding Annual Meeting, a motion was carried that it be referred to Mrs ks and placed in her hands.

Miss Atkinson our stenographer asks for an increase of ary, it was decided that her salary be increased to the rate of 0 per annum from April 1st.

Mrs Willard suggesting $25 be paid for 5 months services he Indian interpreter at Juneau, a motion was carried granting request.

A resolution passed that Mrs Walker of Colorado be asked ttend the Annual Meeting at Portland.

Mrs Metcalf of St Paul having beenmhighly recommended as eaker through societies, resolved to ask her to do this promis to supplement what the synod cannot pay of her expenses.

Meeting adjourned at 4 P.M.

Woman's Executive Committee.
April 18th,1892.

Juneau,Alaska. Appeal for money to build.
Treasurer's Report
Committee on Indian Schools
Committee on Southern White schools.
Regarding graded course of study in schools.
Concord,N.C. Laundry,brick or wood?
Juneau,Alaska. Building further discussed
Tahlequah, Ind Ter. Miss Atwater incapacitated.
Omaha,Neb. Miss Wood requests Mrs Morris to go to General Assm
American Fork,Utah. Request for a third teacher.
Calendars sold at 20 cents by Mrs Hays.
Shall Miss Niles furnish her own room.
Kaysville,Utah,Miss Osborne offers $500 towards teachers home
Alaskan girl in Portland,idea abandoned of looking her up
Meeting of Finance and Building Committees.

Regular meeting of Woman's Executive Committee held on sday ,April 18th at 11.30 A.M. preceded by monthly prayer meet- of one hour,at which over forty ladies were present. This meet was presided over by Mrs Pierson of Elizabeth,N.J. The subject the Roman Catholics,and scripture passages were read showing 's word to be a light to lighten rather than a revelation to be held. Mrs Pierson showed our schools in New Mexico on the map gave interesting facts relating to them. Miss Grant of Tucson zona, and Miss Goodrich of Riceville, N.C. gave interesting ements of their work.

Business meeting was conducted by Mrs Sinclair in the nce of Mrs James. After the reading of the minutes of the last lar meeting a motion was made and carried that the minutes of Ways and Means Committee meeting be held over for reading un- the next regular meeting.

Mrs Finks read an appeal for money to build the school ding at Juneau ,Alaska. She stated the urgent need of it at ,as no definiteplans can be fixed upon until money is in hand ecured by individual pledges. In answer to the question asked rs Roberts of Chicago,Ills. whether the Board would accept a ge from the Synod of Ills assurance was against such being pted but individual pledges were desired. Mrs Roberts on the of the Synod of Ills promised the last fifteen hundred dollars he total amount.

The Treasurers report followed. It showed an encourag advance over last years total receipts of twenty-five thousand, hundred and eighty nine dollars,$17,774 of which was for Missions and $8,015 was for Freedmen.

Mrs Crosby,Chairman of the Committee on Indian schools asked for a report from the Committee,replied that as no r of any interest had been received by any of the ladies,she nothing to say.

There were no reports from the Mormon or Mexican Committe

In regard to the Southern White work, Mrs Sinclair gave d of encouragement.

Mrs Agnew stated that to further the matter of getting ded course of studyin the various schools, she will require o-operation of the committees on the different fields. She a letter prepared by herself,in which she stated what action ecessary.

Mrs Gist of Washington,D.C. writesin reference to the ding of the school at Concord,N.C. asking whether the laun nnot be built separate and apart from the main building and a larger appropriation to further this end;also to build hool of brick instead of wood. No objection if the money can ained.

The subject of building at Juneau was further discussed. on's opinion in regard to it,given to Miss Lincoln,was that ght it would be unwise to begin until half the money is in 1200 only of which was in sight. Motion was made and carried

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at the work be not begun until funds justify it.

Owing to an accident which has somewhat incapacitated s Atwater of Tahlequah, Ind Ter, she asked for a leave of absence r six weeks, which was granted.

Miss Marietta Wood teacher at Omaha Mission asks that Morris her associate principal is very much fatigued from her k might be asked to go to Portland, Oregon to represent the Indi work there. This was referred to the Committee on Annual Meeting

The pastor at American Fork, Utah asks for a third teacher that place as the work is increasing so rapidly. Referred to Spring Conference.

Mrs Dr Hays who had sold a number of calendars for which could get only 20 cents a piece, inquires whether the Committee ld accept that amount, if not she expressed her willingness to e up the required amount. Motion carried that 20 cents a piece ld be acceptable.

Miss Lottie Niles under appointment for Asheville, N.C. ted to know whether she is expected to furnish her own room. As minutes show a previous action taken on this matter in which Committee decided to furnish at its expense requisite furni- e to make our teachers comfortable, no action was necessary.

Miss Osborne of Kaysville, Utah offers to give $500 tow- a home for teachers at that place, if the Executive Committee give the balance of $300 This gift to be with the rpoviso the $500 be refunded when she leaves the field. Referred to ng Conference.

Mrs Cruikshank stated that the cousin who expressed a re to look up the Alaskan girl has abandoned the idea as it quite impracticable.

The Finance and Building Committees were asked to remain r which the meeting adjourned.

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WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

May 17th,1892.

Treasurer's Report
Report on uniting of Home and Foreign Calendars
Printing of Map of United States
Assistant missionary with Mr.Cook.
Harlan Court House,Ky. Resignation of Miss Campbell.
Sitka,Alaska. Mrs Devore resigns.
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Reed obliged to resign.
Coralles,N.M. Time of opening of school
Los Angeles,Cali. Resignation of Miss Bransby
Zuni,N.M. resignation of Miss Pond
Tulsa,Ind.Ter. Miss Stringfield desires vacation;also others
Parowan,Utah. Miss Verny Jones unsatisfactory.
Troy,Kansas. Rev.J.M.Adair asks for type-writer
Silent prayer for God's blessing on the work.

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Regular meeting of Woman's Executive Committee was held uesday, May 17th 1892 at 11.30 A.M. preceded by monthly prayer ing, conducted by Miss Edwards of Dr Hall's church. The subject g the "Freedmen" was closely adhered to; about thirty ladies ent. Mrs Miller gave graphic account of life among these peo- from her own experience many years ago, and Mrs Phraner made esting statement of the high character of the universities g them, especially Biddle University, now presided over by a full s of colored professors.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved as well hose of the Committee of Ways and Means.

Miss Lincoln reported receipts for the present month about in advance of the same month last year. Only $700 to be d for the building at Juneau which is a remarkable response ry recent appeals, and causes heart-felt gratitude.

Mrs Parsons reported on the uniting of the Home and For- Calendars, that there will be no representation of Foreign la- at Portland to decide the matter and she has by correspondence ned the sentiments of the Ladies Foreign Board of New York , ng a desire to unite with the Home ladies on a calendar for but feeling the time and money expended on both calendars for year should be good for another year with slight changes where sary. Our Publication Committee agree with this sentiment and pinion of the ladies concerned in it.

The map of United States with our Mission Stations desig- can be printed in leaflet form for $40 ($9.50) per thousand) te the Publication Committee authorized to have such printed.

The assistant missionary with Mr. Cook being referred to Executive Committee by Committee of Ways and Means, by motion bject was deferred till return of ladies from Portland.

Miss Campbell who has been working at Harlan Court House, nds in her resignation as well as her associate teacher Miss inding the situation too unsafe to allow them to remain.

Mrs Devore of Sitka, Alaska sending in her resignation, accepted.

Miss Reed of the laundry at Santa Fe, N.M. is obliged to her position on account of ill health.

Miss Stimers of Coralles, N.M. writes asking if the open- the school in the Fall may be on Oct 1st rather than earli- the fruit gathering prevents the children from collecting ear- As there is some question as to Miss Stimers being retained post another year, the decision of the matter will be post- till after correspondence.

At Los Angeles, Cal. Miss Ida Boone has been working, as- by Miss Bransby in an industrial way; Miss Bransby now de- o be released from her appointment as she is not satisfied r qualifications for the position. A motion carried that

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Bransby be released, and that the appointment of her successor eft to the California ladies who furnish these salaries, in cor-ondence with Mrs Finks.

Miss Pond who was associated with Miss Dissette at Zuni, writes that she will be unable to return to her field and s in her resignation. Motion carried that Miss Pond's resigna-be accepted with much regret.

Miss Stringfield of Tulsa, Ind. Ter. asks for a vacation ng the summer; also two others associated with her. As we ap-e of granting such vacations a motion was carried granting e requests.

Miss Verny Jones, of Parowan, Utah, has been under Miss Mc-gal and proves unsatisfactory in several ways. It is felt nec-ry to let her know that her commission will now expire, but with dly interest and advice urge her fitting herself for a contin-of service at some later date.

Rev John M. Adair of Troy, Kansas, writes asking for a type r, Remington preferred, to facilitate his sermon writing. A mo-was carried that mention of such a need be made in the maga-with the hope that one may be offered.

Mrs Honeyman asked before adjournment that silent prayer be offered followed by two or three in audible petition, re-ring our absent members on their long journey to the Annual ng and for God's blessing on the meetings themselves. Also the case of Miss Verny Jones be brought before our heavenly r, that the young girl may be directed and guided aright.

Meeting then adjourned at 1 P.M.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee on Tuesday,May 24th 10.30 A.M. Present Mrs Sinclair who presided,Mrs Honeyman,Mrs l,Mrs Miller,Mrs Pierson,Miss Lincoln and Mrs Brownell. Meeting ned with the reading of Psalm 27th and prayer by Mrs Honeyman.

Miss Barrett of Manti,Utah,sends in her resignation as is needed at home. Motion carried to accept Miss Barrett's resation.

Miss Speakman of Springville,Utah,asks leave to come t for her vacation this summer only,hoping for the reduced es granted by the Board. Permission granted according to the es of the Committee.

Mrs Agnew brought in the circular of Miss Beekman and s Allison and having revised it desired the sanction of the Comtee before returning it to them. Mr Dodge and Dr Mc Millan e their opinion and suggested slight corrections. Motion car- d that the circular be printed as it now stands corrected.

No more business offering,meeting adjourned.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
June 7th,1892.

Juneau,Alaska. Necessary amount raised.
Circular prepared by Miss Allison and Miss Beekman.
Jemez Hot Springs,N.M. Twoschools not needed
Las Vegas,N.M. Desires assistant commissioned.
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Thomas asks for vacation.
Salt Lake City,Utah. Desires ten scholarships,Miss Moore
Salina,Utah. Miss Shadle resigns position.
Mt Pleasant,Utah. Miss Miller wishes to retire for a year.
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Fleming wishes return expense paid
Asheville,N.C. List of furnishings needed for Nor. & Coll. Ins
Locust Level,N.C. Miss Ufford gives statement of her work.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday June
h at 10.30 A.M. Twelve ladies present,Mrs Honeyman presiding.
eting opened by reading of Scripture by Mrs Honeyman and several
ayers. Minutes of last regular meeting as well as of Committee
Ways and Means read and approved.

The amount for Juneau,Alaska being raised has now reached
e last $250.

The circular prepared by Miss Allison and Miss Beekman
been returned to them as revised by the Committee and an answer
come that it meets Miss Beekman's need as it stands,but Miss
ison would like a few slight changes made to suit her own school.
view of this the matter was referred back to the Committee hav-
it in hand.

Miss Stright of Jemez Hot Springs,N.M. wrote some time
that the sentiment had been expressed that a public school was
needed at that point in addition to the Mission school. To
isfy the teacher who had been appointed over the public school,
was suggested that Miss Stright should employ his daughter giv-
her a salary in his place. She has done this giving her $45 a
th and finds herself in possession of quite a balance from the
lic school money,a part of which she has already used in improve-
ts in her school. She asks to be allowed to expend the remainder
the same way. Motion carried approving this expenditure if ap-
ved by School Committee.

Miss Beekman of Las Vegas,N.M. has an assistant in the
hen in mind who will come to her for $26 a month for the nine
hs of the school year,and is a woman of good Christian charac-
She desires a commission for her for the coming year. Motion
ied that we refer the case to the School Committee with ap-
al.

Miss Alice J.Thomas,teacher in Miss Allison's school,
for vacation this summer,and Miss Allison approves its being
ted. Motion carried granting this request.

Miss Moore of Salt Lake City has been caring for a few
s in her home,,now writes asking if she may secure ten scholar-
s of one hundred dollars each,for as many girls which she
s she will have no difficulty in securing. This in addition
r own salary and the tuition coming in for some would enable
o accommodate as many as would come to her home. Motion car-
that this matter be referred to the School Committee with ap-
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Miss Shadle of Salina,Utah,sends in her resignation.
n carried that Miss Shadle's resignation be accepted.

Miss Ella W.Miller of Mt Pleasant,Utah asks to retire
the work for a year. Motion carried that this resignation be
accepted.

Miss Fleming from Santa Fe,N.M. asks if her return expen-

nses from Ohio may be paid. Motion carried granting this request,

Mrs Lawrence of the new Normal and Collegiate Institute, Asheville,N.C. sends a list of school furnishings needed which ll be referred to Mr.Eaton. Also asks as to the amount to be ked for the teachers washing and whether it would be included in laries. Motion carried to refer the matter to Mrs Lawrence herlf with suggestions from the Committee.

Miss Ufford from Locust Level,N.C. being present made a atement of her work to the Committee. She reported an increase interest in her school work as well as almost double the number pupils. The pupils also show the kindness of their friends in e North in the improvement in their clothing. Told of the profiecy of one of the girls who had gone by their advice to Whitehall, their surprise at the great change wrought in her. Her brother fifteen belongs to Miss Ufford's school and has recently been verted and his character is completely changed. She spoke of the y large proportion of illegitimacy among the children of Stanley It was impossible to limit themselves in their pupils to those n in wedlock;they have a number of illegitimate ones. It is to this fact that she urged a school among the poor girls of t section as it is impossible to maintain any standard of purity ess they can be reached. She has had the public school build- in Albemarle,Stanley Co. offered her free of rent,provided she ll not use the public money. She could put up a partition and e two rooms of it filling them with boys and girls under 15. s place is 32 miles from Concord. She knows of two ladies who ld teach them for $200 a year; one a Miss Hawley who is about ty and is fitted to do missionary work as well as school-room k. The gentleman assistant in Miss Ufford's school has been eiving $200 but now wants $250. All Miss Ufford can secure from tion is $100,so there remains $150 to secure from outside quar-. The Southern church does not promise anything. A motion was ried that the school desired by Miss Ufford in Albemarle being oved by this Committee they refer it to the School Committee their consideration. In view of the interest felt in Miss Uf- 's statements,Mrs Honeyman asked Mrs Cruikshank to close the ing with prayer.

Meeting then adjourned.

Regular meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tues-
,June 21st at 11.30 A.M.,preceded by the monthly Prayer-meeting
ducted by Mrs Paul. The meeting was made most interesting by
presence of three of our teachers,Miss Ufford,Miss Dwight and
s Campbell who spoke of the work on their several fields.

The only business coming up for consideration was a mat-
brought up by Mrs Niven,the appointing of a delegate to attend
Woman's National Temperance Union. Meeting to be held in Denver
t October. Mrs Niven suggested Mrs Walker of Colorado might well
resent the Committee as being in the neighborhood of Denver at
t time.

Motion carried that Mrs Charles Walker be appointed dele-
from Woman's Executive Committee to the meeting of Woman's
stian Temperance Union in October next.

No further business pressing ,on motion meeting adjourned.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
July 19th,1892.

Recommendations from visiting committee to Alaska.
Montpelier,Idaho. Matters regarding the work
Dr. Wishard's paper referred to Pub. Committee
Mt Pleasant,Utah. Library. Mrs Burnett desires her daughter.
Smithfield,Utah. Misses Knox desire to take two Mormon girls.
Smithfield,Utah. Mrs Boyd asked to write to minister
Fairview,Utah. Salary of substitute to be paid by Ex.Com.
Kaysville,Utah. Money for teacher's home . Miss Osborne.
Kaysville,Utah Miss Mitchell resigns.
" " Miss Osborne appointed.
Pajarito,N.M. Mrs Winters desires to sell carpet
Las Cruces,N.M. Mrs Granger's daughter as her assistant.
Laguna,N.M. Well needed
Zuni,N.M. Miss Dissette desires to come East
Mc Alester,Ind.Ter. Suggestion from Mrs Schermerhorn.
Ardmore,Ind.Ter. Appeal for school
Asheville,N.C. Furnishings desired
Hot Springs,N.C. Communication from Dr Dorland
Gunnison,Utah. Miss Rea needs a home
Titusville,Pa. Message of condolence to Mrs Bryan
Wellsville,Utah. to be reopened
Embudo,N.M. Presbytery of N.Mexico asks for appointment
Agua Negra,N.M. Recommended to re-open
New Mexico. Many appeal for new work
Extra teachers in Utah needed,to be attended to by Dr Wishard
Howcan,Alaska. Work at this point. Mr Eaton's visit &c.

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Called meeting of Woman's Executive Committee held on 19th,1892. Mrs Sinclair,Mrs Honeyman,Mrs Boyd,Mrs Finks,Mrs w,Mrs Paul,Miss Peck,Miss Lincoln,Miss Robertson and Mrs Pier- present. Mrs Sinclair presided,reading and commenting on a few es from Rom. 15. Mrs Honeyman led in prayer,followed by Mrs and Mrs Finks.

The visiting committee to Alaska presented nineteen rec- ndations already adopted by the Board - they were endorsed. A unication from Mr Eaton in regard to missions at Howcan was con- red. On motion it was voted to pay the salary ($400) of Miss d,the substitute of Mrs Mc Farland,who is resting. The need of y's home at Howcan is pressed by Mr.Gould and $2500 asked for purpose. Also $300 for the completion of the church building which Mr Gould has labored. Motion carried to confer with Mr. n and then make sufficient appropriation to cover church and necessities.

Miss Leonard of Montpelier,Idaho,asks if the school there be continued. Dr Wishard advises continuance. Miss Leonard Miss Crowell have been asked to remain East through September dress meetings in Penna. Question raised whether injury to work would follow delay in opening school. Motion carried to ruct the teachers to open school at the usual time. Continuance hool,deferred to Dr Wishard.

A paper by Dr.Wishard intended to counteract the peculiar ines propagated by Mr.Martin,which have a depressing effect our teachers,was referred to Publication Committee for prompt n in publishing. Motion carried that the Woman's Executive ttee recommend to the Board that Dr.Roberts be asked on his n to write to Mr.Martin requesting him to withhold these pe- r teachings.

Mention made of a letter from Dr.Wishard in regard to the ry at Mt.Pleasant. Mrs Burnett,matron at Mt.Pleasant asks ve her little daughter with her there,this being a necessity retain her services, granted.

The Misses Knox at Smithfield,Utah,ask to be allowed to two Mormon girls,with special scholarships. Granted.

Motion carried that Mrs Boyd be requested to write to the ter at Smithfield in regard to our teachers there,that his nce be used to further their work.

Miss Neilson of Fairview,Utah,asks that in view of her ive illness,the salary of her substitute be paid by the Ex- e Committee. Granted.

Miss Osborne of Kaysville writes from California that she sing money for the teacher's home,by permission of Mr.Eaton, ks to be assured that the building will go up. She will ad- the money. Moved that an appropriation of $800 for the pur- e made,that Miss Osborne secure all she can,and the balance

considered as a loan from her to be repaid as soon as money is received.

Miss Mitchell of Kaysville resigning, Miss Osborne is allowed to select her successor.

Mrs Winters of Pajarito, N.M. asks to sell the carpet to Miss Scott her successor. Moved that she be instructed as to the rules - and that Miss Scott be told to make requisition for what is needed for furnishing.

Mrs Granger of Las Cruces, N.M. needing an assistant; motion carried that her daughter Lera be appointed at a salary not exceeding $250.

Miss Shields of Laguna, N.M. writes of the need of a well. Matter referred to Mr Menaul through Mr. Eaton.

Miss Dissette of Zuni, N.M. wishes to come East for much needed rest and conference - having had unusual expenses has not money for the purpose. Motion carried to defray her traveling expenses.

Mrs Schermerhorn of Mc Alester, Ind. Ter. sends suggestion to appoint ladies in different places in the Territory to interest Sunday schools in the Home Mission work. Motion carried that the matter be referred to the Secretaries with power.

An appeal for a school at Ardmore, Ind. Ter. referred to School Committee on receipt of pledge for support of school.

Mrs Lawrence of Asheville, N.C., Normal and Collegiate Institute, asks for enameled ware for furnishing, and inquires about furniture for teacher's parlor. Matter referred to Mr. Eaton, and secretaries instructed to confer with Mrs Dodge (through Mrs Pratt) about furnishing.

Mrs Boyd read a communication from Mr Dorland of Hot Springs, N.C. with reference to school work there. Mrs Dorland would like Miss Stryker as matron - will raise part of her salary - Motion carried to supplement the amount raised by Mrs Dorland to the sum of $200, as Miss Stryker's salary.

Miss Rea of Gunnison, Utah, broken down in health in our service, needs a home. Motion carried that we communicate with Dr. Campbell in regard to placing her in the home at Perth Amboy, and with Miss Rea as to such a possibility.

Motion carried that a message of condolence be sent to Mrs Ryan, Synodical President of Penna.

Motion carried that the school at Wellsville, Utah, which has been closed during the past year, be reopened, Miss Shail being recommended as the teacher by Dr. Wishard and Mr. Campbell, will be favorably considered.

The Presbytery of New Mexico ask for the appointment of Mrs Fe of the helper at Embudo. Referred for further correspond

The school at Agua Negra, N.M. having been closed for some

ne,it was recommended to resume work there.

Many appeals for new work in New Mexico being made,mo-
on was carried that such be mentioned in the magazine,with ear-
st appeal.

Motion carried that during the months when the schools in
h are so full,and extra teachers needed,Dr.Wishard be given pow-
to fill the need.

Mr.Eaton being invited to present the needs of Howcan,A-
ska,gave an interesting account of his visit there. Mr.Gould's
luence and work there,the superiority of the Hydah Indians,the
d of the Boys' home,and the new church.

Adjourned at 1.40 P.M.

E.G.Pierson,Sec pro tem.

CALLED MEETING,
July 26th., 1892.

tter from Mrs Bryan,Penna.in reply to letter of condolence
aska. Fred Moore married
neau,Alaska,regarding the work there. Letter from Mrs Willard
wcan,Alaska,building - amount asked for.
aha Agency,Neb.needs a larger appropriation. Change of place
eelock,Ind.Ter. desires sailor hats
d Dwight,Ind.Ter. matters pertaining to,
os,N.M. Myss Hyson's sisters salary pledged
ka,Alaska.
s Parsons recommends that Dr Wishard's paper be printed
rum,Utah. organ,black-boards &c needed
nnison,Utah. Miss Green to come to New York.
s Bailey of Harrisburg,Pa. wishes C.E.brought in line.
timate for publishing maps , $30.
s Davis willing to address societies in summer,in Penna.
S.Army certificates explained and recommended for our work
lkat,Alaska. Fifteen boarding pupils to be allowed
d Will,So.Dakota. Matters pertaining to this field.
tua,Utah.Request for transfer of sale of lot
en,Utah needing money.
Vegas,N.M. repairs needed.
kogee,Ind.Ter. Miss Barnes to be retired
ifornia. Mrs Stevenson of Cali to be engaged as speaker
eville,N.C. $10 scholarships desired
kogee,Ind.Ter. Miss Robertson granted a vacation.
utes to be type-written
ad,Utah. Needed repairs granted.
hfield,Utah. Academy desired.
s Perley to be recommissioned .

Minutes of called meeting, July 26th 1892.

Meeting called to order by the President. Ten ladies pres- Mrs James, Mrs Bailey, Mrs Honeyman, Mrs Niven, Mrs Allen, Miss rs Finks, Mrs Boyd, Miss Lincoln and Mrs Pierson.

A Scripture lesson was read by Mrs James, and Mrs Bailey prayer, followed by four others.

The minutes of last meeting, read, corrected, and approved, ing recommendations for Alaska, endorsed at last meeting.

Mrs Boyd read the response of Mrs Bryan of Penna to let- condolence from Woman's Executive Committee.

Mrs James announced the marriage of Fred Moore of Alaska, shed the Woman's Executive Committee informed of the event.

A letter from Mr. Willard in reply to questions as to the teps towards the Juneau Home, shows that it is too late to this year; it is necessary for Mr. Willard to be on the ground building is in progress, which the present condition of his precludes; operations will begin in the early spring. Miss ws and Miss Dunbar are able to hold the family together.

The result of conference with Mr. Eaton in regard to How- s announced and $4500 asked for - $500 for church building, for Boys' Home and $1500 for furnishing. Motion carried for l amount named by Mr. Eaton, $4500.

Matters referring to Omaha Agency were referred to secre- Later Mrs James read Mr Morris' letter which urges a larger iation, bringing it up to $7000 and recommending the town of y as best place for school. Motion carried to refer whole to a committee of the Board and Executive Committee. Mrs and Miss Wood may proceed to collect funds for building.

Miss Robe of Wheelock, Ind. Ter. asks for sailor hats for ldren and for instrumental music and songs. Motion carried hase the hats - music to be chosen and purchased by Mrs

Miss Orr formerly of Old Dwight, Ind. Ter. writes of matter station, referred for further correspondence and consulta- th the Board.

A letter from Mr. A.W. Parker of Brooklyn signifies his ess to pay $350 for salary of Miss Hyson's sister at Taos, of native teacher. Motion carried to thank Mr. Parker.

Mrs James read letter from Mrs Austin of Alaska, express- sfaction with the recent action in regard to Sitka teachers.

A letter from Mrs Parsons, chairman of Publication Commit- mmends that a small number of copies of Dr Wishard's arti- answer to peculiar views of regeneration propagated in Utah ed, to meet the special case, and not for general circulation. to office for further reading.

Miss Noble of Hyrum Utah, needs organ, black-boards, chairs, , long since allowed. Motion carried to have them sent at

e.

Miss Alice Green of Gunnison, Utah, writes her understand- that she is to come directly to New York.

Mrs Bailey of Harrisburg spoke of the necessity of bring- societies of C.E. in line for Home Mission work, and asked that akers at Synodical and Presbyterial meetings be prepared to pro e practical plans of work that no more time be lost. Discussion lowed as to methods of reaching such societies, whether they ld be left to follow their own lines, or be advised to contrib- through regular Presbyterial channels. Motion carried to have person in office specially in touch with this particular work, prepared to furnish information and practical working plans for eties.

Mrs James called Mrs Bailey to the chair, and recommended ging a young man as special representative to reach young peo- in C.E. Societies, naming Mr. Goss as suitable for such position. on carried to confer with Board as to expediency of appointing ung man in such capacity for the joint cause of the Board and n's Executive Committee, asking the Board to share the expense alary if such a plan be approved. Sentiment of meeting endorsed ree-fold plan for meeting the case - the young man to address C.E. Societies and be directly in touch with them; a special er in the office to collect all information, literature &c bear- on the subject and keep statistics, naming Miss Eaton, being di- medium of communication between Woman's Executive Committee societies, and the speakers from office at Synodical and Presby l meetings to be fully informed on the subject and ready to se practical plans.

Mrs Allen in behalf of Publication Committee presented ate of expense for publishing maps with 50 stations marked, at Motion carried to have estimates prepared, with all stations d, to be sent to office, and power left to office to order them shed, on approval.

Letter from Mrs Davis of Newton, Kansas, expressing readi- to address societies in Pen. in the summer. Referred to Mrs .

Mrs Boyd explained Congregational organization of S.S. Ar th certificates, rally-day, special exercises &c. and recommend- ilar plans for reaching Presbyterian Sunday schools, reading ed letter to superintendents. The suggestions were adopted. Mrs Boyd presented estimates for printing cards, certificates oted to leave to office the number to be ordered - expense to from leaflet fund. Mrs Parsons to be asked to secure exer- or "rallyingday" (Nov. 20).

Adjourned for luncheon at 1.30 P.M.

Reassembled at 2.30 P.M.

Mr. Boyd presented four matters for action by Woman's Ex- e Committee which were accordingly considered:- Mr. Warne of

ska asks that the expenses of fifteen boarding pupils at Chilkat allowed. Granted, at $75 scholarships.

The recommendation that in view of the difficulties at eton Agency, So.Dak. Mr Robe and Mr Adams be superseded - Mr. Afee named as possible successor and Mr. Robe be transferred to ka, Ind.Ter. was adopted.

Request from Mantua, Utah for transfer of sale of lot to ard, granted; and from Ogden that $300 of Mr Mc William's $5000 llowed, to help out of difficulties, also granted.

Miss Beekman of Las Vegas, N.M. asks for an appropriation 250 for repairs. Granted subject to Mr. Menaul's direction.

Motion carried that Miss Barnes of Muskogee, Ind.Ter. be red and extending her commission for three months without ser-, in consideration of the short notice.

Motion carried that Mrs Stevenson of California be en- d at a salary of $600 from June 1st 1892, to organize the work hat State. Motion carried that Mrs L.A.Davis of Newton, Kansas, mployed for similar work in Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska, at a ry of $600 for the working months of the year.

Miss Lincoln presented the need of $10 scholarships at ville, N.C. Matter referred to office.

Motion carried that Miss Robertson be granted vacation her services are needed for Fall meetings.

Motion carried that the Minutes be type -written and such cts as are of general interest, be sent to Synodical workers.

Motion carried that needed repairs be allowed at Malad,

Mr Clemenson appeals for academy at Richfield, Utah. No n taken.

Motion carried that Miss Lucy Perley be recommissioned ne out of three at Spanish Fork, Utah will be available for points during winter months.

E.G Pierson, Sec pro tem.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Aug. 16th., 1892.

Salary of Miss Moore to be increased.
Sitka,Alaska. Mrs Wade willing to go to Sitka
Sitka,Alaska,principal teacher offered Miss Speakman.
Anadarko,Ind.Ter. proposition of Mr.Fait.
Wheelock,Ind.Ter. inqury about hats and clothing
Sacaton,Arizona. roof &c needed
Sisseton Agency,So.Dakota. Miss Smith resigned and substitute to be appointed.
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. Miss Norton retires from work
Mekesukey,Ind.Ter. Mr Duncan resigns
Smithfield,Utah. Scholarships.
Chapels needed at St George,Fillmore & Scipio,Utah.
Gunnison,Utah. Miss Rea's health poor. Presbyterian Home .
Las Cruces,N.M. Miss Granger's salary to be increased.
Cinecerro,N.M. Miss Clements desires to take pupils in her home
Wartburg,Tenn.,Parochial Academy suggested.
Red Oak,Ind.Ter. opening of school deferred.
Altan,N.C. Miss Mc Donald asks for $100 for riding expenses
Salina,Utah. If work is given up,evangelist proposed
Praise Meeting Invitations,new style.
Synodical meetings considered.
Penna. ladies request Miss Dyer's spending two weeks at "53"
Dora Davis,artificial hand.
Salt Lake City, Utah. Scholarships for the Home.
Books to be adopted by our schools.
Time of opening and closing schools
Work in Synod of Pacific.
Washington College,Tenn.,for Y.P.S.C.E.societies
Matters discussed. Resignation of Mr. Duncan
School at Wartburg,Tenn
School at Red Oak,Ind.Ter.
Artificial hand for Dora Davis
Speaker for Y.P.S.C.E.societies
Mangle at Sitka,Alaska
Hot Springs,Alaska. Sanitarium and Gymnasium
Evangelist for Utah.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee Aug.16th,1892
ed with reading of Scripture by Mrs James and a short prayer by one present. Mrs Finks,Mrs Boyd and Mrs Miller,Miss Peck com-in later.

Miss Moore stenographer has been offered a larger salary where,but would prefer remaining with the Committee for less y. She asks that she be paid $45 per month for the remainder of present fiscal year,and that at the beginning of the next year er engagement with the Executive Committee she be paid at the of $50 per month. Granted.

A letter was read from Mrs Wade indicating her willing- to accept the position of matron at Sitka,Alaska. She would to postpone her departure to her field of labor until Sept 5th she will have the company of her sister who goes to Portland n. This was left for further consideration. If it is needful rs Wade to leave earlier,her sister may be persuaded to change ate to an earlier period.

Miss Speakman,to whom was offered the position of Princi- eacher at Sitka,Alaska,writes for further information in re- to the position;after some discussion ,it seemed to be the of the Executive Committee that in view of the doubt Miss nan expresses in regard to her physical strength,that she be rged to take the position. Miss Speakman is an excellent teach- would no doubt discharge the class-room duties to the satis- n of all. Upon motion it was decided to ask Mrs Shields to in the sewing department.

Mrs Boyd presented the proposition of Mr.Fait of Anadar- .Ter. which is as follows:- In view of the fact that the plated building at Anadarko will not be ready for use for ime he suggests that Mrs Frazer now a teacher at Anadarko er her labors to Ft. Sill,a military post where the Indians w congregating,and enlisting in the U.S.service,a room at the be rented,and a school of perhaps 75 pupils can be opened, ly expense being the rent of the room,as Mrs Frazer is now employ of the Executive Committee. This was granted.

Mrs Allen of the Wheelock Orphan School,Ind.Ter. asks the purchase of hats for the girls of that school,as the g is furnished by the Choctaw Nation,Mrs Boyd was instructed nform her.

A letter, from Mr.Charles Cook of Sacaton,Arizona,contain- statement that $50 had been received from a gentleman inter- n the work,and that an additional $50 would put a new shin- f on the summer kitchen,and also on two out-houses, was read. was granted,inasmuch as the Executive Committee have con- to assist the Board in meeting the expenses of its evange- work.

The resignation of Miss Lizzie Smith,assistant teacher ton,So.Dak. was accepted and Miss Morgan of Minn. to be

red her place if papers prove satisfactory.

Miss Norton of Muskogee, Ind.Ter. retires from the work. will be paid until Sept 1st, one blank to be sent her, her suc- r to enter upon her work at that time; Miss Norton's commis- does not expire until Jan.1st.

The matter of the resignation of Mr.Duncan of Mekesukey, er. and securing some one to take his place was referred to rence to be held later with the secretaries.

In regard to scholarships at Smithfield, Utah, there are children and Dr Wishard expressed the opinion that pupils in he Utah schools should be advanced to the higher schools. The tive Committee still approve of the scholarships at Smithfield e children are small and that these scholarships should be to them. Referred to the office.

Chapels are needed at St George, Fillmore and Scipio, Utah. n deferred for the present.

Miss Rea of Gunnison, Utah has been on the field five , and it is recommended that in view of her declining health, e invited to accept the hospitality of the Presbyterian Home rth Amboy, and secure the rest offered there.

Mrs Granger of Las Cruces, N.M. asks that her daughter's y in view of the expense of living in that locality be $35 per Granted.

Miss Mollie Clements of Cinecerro, N.M. wants to take into me permanently one boy and one girl, or four large girls, in to give them some instruction in household affairs. She will hem their board but does not feel able to clothe them. It reasonable to suppose that some society can be found to fur- he clothing; however it was decided by motion to grant this t for one year only.

Mr Hunter of Oliver Springs, Tenn., recommends the estab- g of a Parochial Academy at Wartburg, Tenn.. The school taught in the Springs was a success. A building erected by the Ma- s for lease. There are school rooms on the first floor of uilding which would need to be seated, furnished with tables oards &c. All this at the expense of the Board. In addition ecutive Committee are asked to furnish two teachers who are the field at an expense of $800 per year. The teachers onsist of a male Principal and one lady assistant. The would be controlled by a Board of Directors, two from the Lodge and the same number from the Presbytery. Term to of ten months. Deferred for conference with secretaries.

The matter of opening a school at Red Oak, Ind.Ter. was ferred for conference with secretaries.

Miss Mc Donald of Altan, N.C. asks for $100 with which to e expense of riding to and from her school. It was decided r the present until the matter of a home for our teachers

was decided that this request be granted.

Mrs Finks presented the case of Salina,Utah. If the work ven up there Dr.Wishard suggests that the funds used hereto- in paying the teachers be employed in defraying the expenses evangelist to assist in holding meetings at various points n the Territory. Mrs Crosby has indicated her willingness to t such a change. The services of the evangelist to continue months. Deferred for conference with secretaries.

Mrs Boyd moved that some new style Praise Meeting Invita- cards be printed according to the suggestions of Mrs Finks. n carried.

Synodical meetings were then considered. Mrs James will d the meeting at Ottawa,Kansas. Mrs Finks the meetings at burgh,Pa.; Albany,N.Y. and Newark,N.J. Mrs Boyd or Mrs Pier- ll go to Baltimore and Mrs Miller to Michigan,So.Dakota,Ohio diana. This arrangement however is subject to change on ac- of the incompleteness of the schedule.

It has been requested by the ladies of Penna. that Miss pend one week in the Rooms at 53 Fifth Ave., to learn more the work of the Committee before addressing societies in No objections to her doing so.

The matter of Dora Davis' artificial hand was deferred nference with secretaries.

The scholarships (10) which Miss Mary Moore of Salt tah has requested the Executive Committee to consider, was sed. It was decided by motion that this money be paid quar- and that contributors be instructed to send money through ive Committee.

The books to be adopted by our schools in Utah were con- d at length. It was recommended that those in use in the Pub ools be adopted,rejecting all objectionable ones. Motion at these be gradually worked in to our schools in order to the expense. It was also recommended that correspondence with Prof. Millspaugh and Dr.Wishard in regard to this Motion carried.

The matter of the time of opening and closing our schools was referred to Dr.Wishard.

Inasmuch as it had been decided $600 be expended for ar- g and stimulating societies in the Synod of the Pacific,re- that the Board be asked to appropriate this amount and for- quarterly installments to Mrs R.M.Stevenson,the date of ng to be June 1st;and ending a year thereafter. Motion made ried that Mrs Davis be paid for her services at the rate of eeting - the usual rate paid by the Executive Committee for .

It was decided by motion that Washington College be of- e Y.P.S.C.E. instead of Boy's school at Asheville,N.C.

Meeting adjourned.

Mrs Miller,pro tem

In conference with secretaries the following subjects e discussed.

1st. Resignation of Mr.Duncan. There seems to be a doubt ut continuing the work at Mekesukey. The Seminole chief is a ferent man to harmonize with and the work there seems uncertain.

School at Wartburg. Not undertaken at present,but that Duncan be written to to visit the place and give encouragement the people that their request will no doubt be favorably consid- d another year.

RED OAK. The amount asked for $200 is in sight. Mr.Dun- be written to to visit this point and investigate at once. The retaries encourages the opening of the school.

Artificial hand for Dora Davis. Money with Mrs Austin to er the expense and Mr Eaton will look up measurements.

A speaker to address Y.P.S.C.E. societies. Taken under isement. It is possible that such a person may be employed in near future. There are over 4500 societies in the Presbyterian rch.

Mangle at Sitka,Alaska. It mangles something else beside hing - such as the pupils hands and scalps,- it mangles entire- too much. It was thought wise if an opportunity occurs to dis- e of it. No action taken.

Sanitarium and Gymnasium. The former at Hot Springs,Alaska, latter at Sitka,Alaska. It was decided to read the copious s taken by Mr.Eaton and others while in Alaska,and these mat- would then be considered.

EVANGELIST for Utah. The Board does not believe in Evan- stic work,so called. Before accepting or acting upon Dr.Wish s suggestion it would be necessary to consult the Presbytery tah.

Conference closed.

Mrs Miller
pro tem.

CONFERENCE WITH MISS DE SETTE, ZUNI, N.M.
September 6th, 1892.

Mrs Honeyman presiding, conducted devotional exercises: sent Mrs Honeyman, Mrs Mason, Mrs Finks (and daughter) Mrs Miller, s Lincoln, Mrs Pierson. While waiting for secretaries and treas- r of the Board one matter of business was attended to. At Mrs ler's suggestion and request the matter of the preparation of torical leaflets was transferred to Mrs Pierson's care, by motion Mrs Finks.

Dr Mc Millan, Dr Irvin, Mr Boyd and Mr Eaton joined the mittee and Miss Dissette, and listened to a statement of the ds of Zuni.

Miss Dissetts urged, as a primary necessity, the appoint- t of an additional teacher - not only to relieve herself and s Pond, who are overtaxed by the peculiar condition of the work - to afford opportunity to visit pupils in their homes and teach mothers. Miss Dissette believes that the only school that can eed in that field is one that makes the most of industrial ures; advocates pushing the work on those lines, putting the y into workers, and giving the teachers time to go out among people. She thinks the legitimate line of work is the primary indergarten - and the degree of success will be in proportion ersonal influence. She thinks homes more educational than in- utions, and that the day -schools with the industrial features meet Zuni necessities.

Miss Dissette asks for a fence for the front of the school erty and for a better water supply.- suggesting windmill or notor. Also presents the need of a physician.

The gentlemen were unanimous in the opinion that an addi- l teacher is needed at Zuni, and so expressed themselves. Miss tte was asked for estimated cost of fence and windmill, but not give figures even approximately, stating also the diffi- of getting improvements made, even if granted. She gave a ic description of Zuni life and characteristics, with the pe- r difficulties of the work there, and also the encouragements.

Adjourned at 12. 30 M.

Mrs Pierson.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.
Sept. 13th,1892.

Action of School Committee on matters discussed at last meeting
Altan,N.C. Miss Young wishes to attend Presbyterial meeting
Nuyaka,Ind.Ter. Miss Paden,being ill asks for leave of absence
Salina,Utah. Renting of building for public school purposes
Pleasant Grove,Utah Repairs
Gunnison,Utah. Miss Rea declines home at Perth Amboy.
Franklin,Idaho. reopening of school recommended by Dr.Wishard
Spanish Fork,Utah. third teacher recommended
Kansas Synodical will take three salaries
New literature to be sent to Synodical officers and Pres'l Presidents.
New work to be referred to Synodical officers and then to Presbyterial.
Asheville,N.C. Miss Dwight and Mrs Pratt have an interview regarding scholarships.
Executive Committee to meet deficiency in day scholarships in Asheville,N.C.
Parowan,Utah. needs teacher who can play and sing
Hyrum,Utah Miss Noble asks for increase in salary
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. Miss Cox's salary increased.
Mrs Hamlin urges prompt payment of teacher's salaries
Tahlequah,Ind.Ter. Miss Loeb asks for leave of absence
Santa Fe,N.M. Mrs Swan broken down
Santa Fe,N.M. Bath-room referred to Building Committee
Del Norte,Colo. Appeal for salary of a teacher
Los Angeles,Cali. Miss Boone's sister. Letter of appreciation
Mrs Perkins,Ohio accepts apportionments for her synod.
Baby Band is a suggestive leaflet published by Baptist society
Columbian Exercise prepared by Board adopted for S.School
Mrs Davis available for societies
Anadarko,Ind.Ter. points given Mrs James regarding same
Locust Level,N.C. No further enlargement
Inquiry regarding Miss Etta Allen's ability to speak on our work.
Ute Indians. Miss Childs writes for information.
Local committee for mission work to be suggested to C.E.Soc's
Mrs Davis desires lists of buildings for societies
Mrs Walker's methods commended
Work among Omaha Indians discouraged by Mrs James
Mrs Pierson to cull from minutes for synodical officers
Hydah,Alaska. Future of Archie Cameron.
Miss Meeker recommended as stenographer in office
Wash stands in our schools - covered with oil cloth.
Societies in other denominations to be invited to unite in special prayer for Holy Spirit
Mrs Walker to prepare a leaflet, regarding Synodical Committee

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee, Tuesday, Sept 13th, 2. Seven ladies present. Mrs James, Mrs Hamlin, Mrs Honeyman, Mrs d, Mrs Paul, Miss Lincoln, Mrs Pierson. Mrs James presiding, read ipture lesson, which was followed by prayer from all present. Sinclair and Mrs Miller joined the Committee later.

Mrs Boyd presented the matters acted upon by the School mittee in their Annual meeting and their decisions were con- red in, with the following exceptions which they will be asked to onsider:- with relation to Mrs Stevenson of Cal; the matter of owing Dr Wishard to fill positions of teachers in Utah and the ter of Richfield hymn-books which is recommended to be deferred further investigation.

Miss Young of Altan asks for permission to attend Presby- ial meeting at which she is invited to speak - asks that they have a sewing class at Altan - and when winter comes that their may be asked to chop the wood. All granted.

Miss Paden of Nuyaka, Ind. Ter. who is ill at her home in a asks for leave of absence for a month or more if necessary. ion carried that the matter be left to the office with power.

Mr Webster of Pleasant Grove, Utah, writes further of re- s. Action deferred.

Dr Wishard writes of Salina, Utah in regard to renting ol-building (Crosby Memorial Chapel) for public school purposes. endorses letter from Mr Stoops recommending very competent her for Salina. Motion carried, that the school go on as before, strong teacher being engaged, unless further correspondence s the necessity for two.

Miss Rea of Gunnison, Utah gratefully declines the home of- d her at Perth Amboy, as she has a sister who will look after Motion carried, that Mrs Blackburn formerly of St George, Utah ransferred to the Home in place of Miss Rea, and that her travel- xpenses be paid by the Committee. Mrs Hamlin spoke of the (ministers) at Perth Amboy, giving testimony of its excellent gement.

Dr Wishard recommends reopening school at Franklin, Idaho, rges the name of Mrs Mead, wife of Supt. of Sunday Schools of as, teacher. Motion carried to reopen Franklin school, and com- on Mrs Mead at a salary of $500 - a special effort to be made cure such amount. Motion

Motion carried, to endorse Dr. Wishard's action in ap- ing a third teacher at Spanish Fork. Miss Perley's generous to pay $100 of her salary to be declined.

A communication from Kansas Synodical Society states that will undertake three salaries - one must be among the Mountain s.

Motion carried, that all new literature (leaflets &c) t at once to Synodical officers and Presbyterial Presidents - esolution to be recorded in book of standing rules.

Motion carried that all new work be first referred to

odical officers, and then to Presbyterial. Notice shall be given

Synodical officers when the Executive Committee communicates di-
tly with Presbyterial Societies, with regard to new work. This
ll be a standing rule and recorded as such.

Miss Eaton reported Miss Dwight's interview with Mrs
tt, in regard to day scholarships at Asheville, N.C. which Mrs
tt is soliciting. The Committee feel that day scholars should
for tuition, and that exceptions should be arranged by the Execu-
e Committee. It was recommended that Mrs Pratt be asked to
ce societies in direct communication with the Executive Commit-
; also that she be asked to enlist interest in the proposed Boy's
ol at Asheville, diverting her energies from the Normal and Home
strial to that object. Motions approved.

Motion carried that Prof Lawrence be written to with ref-
ce to day scholarships, that in case scholars are not able to
the whole, the Executive Committee will supplement.

Dr Wishard writes in regard to an additional teacher at
wan, Utah, with ability to play and sing. Motion carried that the
er be left to the office with power.

Miss Noble at Hyrum, Utah asks for increase of salary to
, in view of her long service, and large expenses. The Board do
allow the application, and the Committee concur in their action.

Miss Cox of Muskogee, Ind. Ter. who takes Miss Robertson's
e is now receiving but $350. Motion carried to advance her sala-
o $500 with her new commission.

Mrs Hamlin strongly urged paying teachers' salaries
tly. Motion carried that if the Secretaries and Mr Eaton ap-
e, the Ways and Means Committee will confer with the Finance
ttee of the Board, with regard to prompt payment of teachers'
ries.

Miss Loeb of Tahlequah asks for leave of absence for the
- her sister to take her place. Granted.

Miss Allison writes of the breaking down of Mrs Swan,
tant matron, and her probable resignation.

The matter of a bath-room in the new Santa Fe building
ferred to Building Committee.

Mr Gilchrist writes of an appeal for salary of a teacher
l Norte. Referred to office with power, after conference with
ecretaries of the Board.

Miss Ida Boone of Los Angeles, Cal. writes of her sister's
at that place, which has been a free will offering. Motion car-
that a letter of appreciation be written her.

Mrs Perkins of Ohio writes, accepting the apportionments
r synod.

A suggestive leaflet published by Baptist Society, con-
g a "Baby Band", was referred to Publication Committee.

Motion carried that the Columbian Exercise prepared by e Board, be adopted for Sunday School Rally-day in November.

Meeting adjourned at 1.40 P.M. Reassembled at 2.45

Mrs James spoke of the interesting talk of Mrs Davis at nsas, who will be available for societies. Asked that letter be itten to Mrs Davis from Executive Committee asking her to address cieties in our behalf, and that Mrs Bryan be written to that her rvices may be commanded.

Mrs James mentioned the points given her as to the loca- on of the building at Anadarko, Ind. Ter.

Motion carried to write to Miss Ufford that there could no further enlargement at Locust Level, N.C. and asking her to list sympathy in Boys school, Asheville, N.C.

Mrs Davis writes enquiring of Miss Etta Allen's ability speak on our work.

Miss Childs writes to Mrs James concerning work among Ute Indians, with a view of Baltimore Synodical Society assuming Mrs James asks. Shall we ask Synodical Committees to appoint ecretary to press the work in Christian Endeavor Societies and day Schools? Shall Presbyterial Societies be asked to do the e? Mrs Hamlin suggested that Synodical Corresponding Secreta- s could do the work and recommended that Presbyterial Societies y have the added secretary.

Mrs Hamlin also recommended that the Executive Committee gest to C.E. Societies that a committee for mission work, outside the Committee for local work, be appointed.

Mrs Davis asks for list of buildings &c. for presentation societies.

Mrs James commended Mrs Walker's methods and wisdom in West.

Mrs James discourages enlarging work among the Omaha In- ns.

The matter of culling from the Minutes for use of Synodi- presidents was entrusted to Mrs Pierson.

Motion carried that the officers of Executive Committee half hour daily conference at 2 P.M., excepting Tuesdays.

Mr. Gould of Hydah, Alaska writes in reference to future ation of Archie Cameron, beyond what Sitka could give. If he sent to Hampton, Mrs Hamlin could secure $166 for a finishing elsewhere. Miss Lincoln suggested Salt Lake Institute as being own provision for such. Mrs James asked that enquiry be made here is any agency in our church which helps such boys to a ege course.

Miss Lincoln presented the need of an additional stenog- er and recommended the appointment of Miss Elizabeth Meeker. on carried to engage her at once, for a year at the salary of per month.

Mrs Miller suggested that in furnishing rooms with wooden rniture, the tops of wash stands should be covered with oil cloth. proved.

Mrs James very feelingly urged that the Executive Commit- invite Home Missionary Societies of other denominations to ite in special prayer for the Holy Spirit, suggesting that a day the week of prayer be set apart for such a service - that contin- s prayer be made, at all times, and especially on such a day, with pledge of bringing in the tithes - and that this be brought fore all societies.

Motion carried that Mrs Walker be asked to prepare a leaf- explaining the "Synodical Committee" and its relation to the cutive Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 5 P.M.

E.G.Pierson,
pro tem.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Sept. 20th,1892.

Concord,N.C. Heating of building.
Resolutions regarding death Dr. Kendall.
Franklin,Idaho. Teacher to be appointed.
Mrs Davis,Newton Kansas,to address societies.
United effort for prayer in different denominations.
El Moro,N.M. teacher to go to Del Norte instead.
Ute Indians,evangelist
Las Vegas,N.M. cost of board.
Tahlequah,Ind.Ter. roof in bad condition.
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. Kindergarten work preferred by Mrs Riddell.
Wynnewood,Ind.Ter. addition to the building desired.
Maps for Committee and Board.
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. Miss Robertson resigns position.
Miss Robertson's engagements in Illinois,Mohonk meetings.
Mrs Boyd resigns as secretary of Committee.
Treasurer's report.
Locust Level,N.C. change of teachers.
Mrs Walker to be delegate at meeting of Christian Temp. Union in Denver,Colo
Santa Fe,N.M. Mrs Swan resigns position.
Logan,Utah. Mrs Shirley resigns position.
Chautauqua,N.Y. Rooms for workers.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Executive Committee held Sept. 20th ,1892,preceded by monthly prayer meeting.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Mrs Sinclair,Chairman of the Building Committee desired to w the wish of the Committee concerning the heating of the new lding at Concord,N.C. steam or hot water;the latter way being ught the safest on account of fire but will cost more at the be- ning. The plant at Santa Fe, N.M. will cost $1200 for hot water aratus. Resolved that the hot water method of heating be placed the buildings at Concord,N.C. and Santa Fe,N.M.

Resolved that resolutions regarding the death of Dr.Ken- l be prepared at once for the H.M.Monthly and a copy be sent to Kendall. Mrs Boyd to prepare such resolutions.

Mrs Pierson reported that according to action taken at t meeting Mrs Mead was to be commissioned for Franklin,Idaho, t was expected her husband would be Sup't of S.schools; as he not appointed to this position this would preclude Mrs Mead taking the position of teacher.

Mrs Boyd then read letter prepared by her to be sent to Davis,of Newton,Kansas,who is to address societies in regard to work,giving the different objects for the work of the Synods. James asked that a similar letter modified might be written and to Mrs Stevenson,of California,who is also to address societies half of our Mission work.

Inquiry was made by Mrs Boyd as to how the different de- nations were to be reached so that a united effort might be for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit,and one day during the of prayer set apart for this purpose. This could be done gh the different Mission Boards. The suggestion was given that gram be prepared and published in H.M.Monthly. After a number ggestions were given it was resolved that circulars be pre- and addressed to each local society apprising them of our ac asking them to join with us in this work,stating that a pro- e will be issued in the H.M.Monthly. Mrs Boyd read a letter red to send to the different denominations which was accepted e Committee as was also the one to Mrs Davis.

Mrs Pierson reported that at the last meeting it was de- to keep the school at El Moro,N.M. open,even though there not enough Mexicans to attend;the Italians had driven them out. rkwood writes discouraging this and recommends that Miss Wi- e teacher for El Moro be transferred to Del Norte to assist men from the College in their training. This will not be any se but a saving of $400 over last year's work. The Board authorized Dr Kirkwood to make the transfer,the Executive tee concur in such action.

The matter of work among the Ute Indians was then talked d resolved that the Baltimore Synod be requested to take up

e work of sending an evangelist to this people.

The board at Las Vegas,N.M. being at a very low rate,it s thought advisable to ask the School Committee to look into it it must cost more than the amount charged. As Mrs Agnew has been ising the schedule it was suggested that she have this matter charge. Resolved that the teachers be written to, to find out e actual cost of board and the schedule revised after this infor- tion is received.

Dr.Hill reports the roof of the Tahlequah building in ery bad condition it having been repaired time and again;it will very expensive and has been deferred but the roof should be re- red now. It will cost $300. Resolved that the order be given for ew roof at Tahlequah,Ind.Ter.

Mrs Riddell who has been doing Kindergarten work at Musko- and offered the place of primary teacher does not wish to ac- t this position,preferring the Kindergarten work;it is not deem- wise to retain her as such having only eight of our pupils in s class. This is a very desirable work but if she continues it must look to the tuition collected for her salary. Resolved t Mrs Riddell's salary be not supplied by the Executive Commit- but she be allowed to use the room and secure her own scholars.

Mrs Hotch kins of Wynnewood,Ind.Ter. is very anxious for addition to the building; has 120 pupils and many more desiring ome,has 33 Indian children. Miss Lincoln reported that the ap- riation for this room has been made and published in H.M.Month- ith other building funds but nothing has been received as yet this building. Resolved that this be left with the office to what societies are interested in Wynnewood and see what can be ed at once for this addition.

Mrs Miller presented the matter of maps,the Board expect onsider this at their next meeting and desire to know if the utive Committee wish to purchase them,for societies to buy. e maps can be made at the following rates; 100 at $5.25 each, t $3.10 each. The Board may take 125 and thought the Execu Committee would take the same number; these could be sold at ch. Resolved that we order 125 maps of the U.S. with Alaska e Board considerthe matter favorably.

Letter from Miss Robertson tendering her resignation from ork. Resolved that as a Committee we are not ready to consider esignation of Miss Robertson,and the faults to which she al- are not apparent to us and we consider her very valuable to Committee,and the financial question be referred to the Ways ans Committee for conference.

Mrs Miller reports that Miss Robertson has been invited tend the Mohonk Conference and this will interfere with a few engagements in Illinois,and she asks to be excused from lance at these meetings so as to attend the Mohonk Conference.

another can be secured for these meetings.

Letter from Mrs Boyd tendering her resignation as Secre-
y of Executive Committee, she feeling that her time was needed in
home but was willing to do what she could voluntarily for the
nittee. This movement was greatly regretted by all. Resolved
t this resignation be accepted with great regret and with deep
eciation and thanks for the service she has rendered.

Report of Treasurer was then given as follows:

Comparative statement:

	April to Sept 1892	April to Sept 1891		
Societies	$31,036.59	$29,732.39	Advance	$1,304.20
.Sources	47,004.85	38,154.02	"	8,850.83
cies	300.00	12,000.00	Decrease	11,700.00
	$78,341.44	$79,886.41	Total "	1,545.97

dmen decrease $943.

2 - 62 Y.P.S.C.E.	$821.05	S.S.	$3,131.00
1 - 20 Y.P.S.C.E.	332.45	S.S.	2,972.00

Miss Lincoln reports that last year Miss Ufford was
ted two teachers at a salary of $300. each; she now desires per-
ion to have the gentlemen who has been assisting her and pay
from tuition and public money, he to take part of the class
work, she will not then need a second teacher which will save
She also employed a colored as cook last year, instead of
she would like a friend of hers a graduate of Northfield to
uct two boys to do the cooking; this will be no extra expense.
ed.

Mrs Niven then spoke of the visiting and fraternal dele-
at the meeting of the Christian Temperance Union to be held in
r, asking that as Mrs Walker was appointed as this delegate she
ven credentials, this being required in order to be indenti-

Mrs Swan having to resign her position at Santa Fe, N.M.
count of ill health, resolved that she be written to stating
mpathy of Executive Committee for her in her affliction, and
appreciation of the Executive Committee for her work.

Meeting adjourned at 1.45

Afternoon session.

Mrs Shirley matron at Logan, Utah, resigns her position.
carried that her resignation be not accepted.

Motion carried that we confer with Mrs J.C.Martin asking
Executive Committee may furnish two rooms at the Presbyteri-
e, Chatauqua, N.Y. that our workers may occupy during the sum
ason.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.
Sept. 27th,1892.

Mrs Grier,Brooklyn on Advisory Committee
Mr.Grier will place radiators in our buildings at Concord and Santa Fe,N.M. at cost.
Artificial arm for Dora Davis.
El Rito,N.M. Mrs Sleight wishes to know the arrangements.
Pauls Valley,Ind.Ter. to be closed. teacher to go to Ardmore
Sitka,Alaska. Fifty dollars for cook. granted.
Hoonah,Alaska Assistant teacher granted.
Spanish Fork,Utah. third teacher referred.
Hungerford Academy,Utah. Need of boarding hall.
Franklin,Idaho. Opening deferred.
Board declined to allow vacancies on field to be filled by Dr.Hill & Dr.Wishard.
ZUNI,N.M. additional teacher granted.
Mrs Stevenson of Cali. granted $600 for one year.
Chaperito,N.M. teacher has received money for a building.
El Moro,N.M. Transfer to Del Norte deferred.
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. purchase of property
Tahlequah,Ind.Ter. New roof granted
Washington College,Tenn. Ten scholarships granted
Red Oak,N.C. matter deferred.
El Rito,N.M. to go on as before
Pleasant Grove,Utah. repairs needed.
Fred Moore and wife left Chilkat,Alaska
Las Vegas,N.M. Miss Allen as a speaker
Las Cruces,N.M. furniture needed.
Monroe,Utah. Furniture not paid for by Committee
Mrs Miller desired to go to Asheville,N.C.
Type-writer needed.
Resolutions regarding death of Dr. Kendall.
Letter to different denominations regarding united meeting.
Synodical and Presbyterial blanks
Calendars be sent to new teachers.
Article by Dr.Wishard as a leaflet.
Mrs Kelly of Baltimore desires to know speakers expected there
Purchase of Miss Robertson's piano.
Miss Robertson's salary; resignation accepted.
Miss Robertson's going to Mohonk to be left as it is.
Women occupying pulpit,resolution concerning same.
Miss Stephenson wishes permission to get up list of prayer meeting subjects.
Maysville,Utah. Miss Fitts delayed in reaching field, Mrs Knox takes her place.
Rooms to be cleaned
Logan,Utah,matters pertaining to Mrs Shirley's resignation.
Vacancies in Sitka,Alaska .

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee was held on Tuesday t.27th,1892. Mrs James presiding. Present Mrs Boyd,Mrs Honeyman, Miller,Mrs Pierson,Miss Lincoln and Mrs Baker.

On motion Mrs Grier's name was again added to the list Advisory Committee. Mrs James reports that Mr Grier's business ng hot water radiators he would like to put them in our schools Santa Fe,N.M. and Concord,N.C. and will do so at cost. Mr Ea- 's attention to be called to this fact.

Matters deferred. Artifical arm for Dora Davis of Alaska. s has been reported as having been sent,but it is thought nec- ary to look the matter up and make sure.

Letter from Miss Sleight of East Las Vegas stating that she had not heard whether the school at El Rito was to be contin- she had partially promised to enter another work but would like know if she was desired for El Rito before completing arrange- s. As we expect to continue this school Miss Sleight to be writ- to that her services would be needed at this point.

Mr Boyd reported action of School Committee on different ers placed before them. Dr Hill recommended that the school at 's Valley,Ind.Ter. be closed and Miss Aughey be transferred to ore; School Committee and Board approve of this; two teachers needed at this place but it is expected that one will be raised he ground,but the Committee will have to take this risk,and, t secured from the people at Ardmore it is to be paid from the s of the Committee; it is suggested that a rate of tuition be for Ardmore.

Fifty dollars for cook at Sitka,Alaska and assistant teac- t Hoonah,Alaska,granted.

Spanish Fork,Utah,third teacher referred for another for further correspondence.

Hungerford Academy,Springville,Utah. Letters from Mr I. th the new principal and Dr Wishard setting forth the great of a boarding hall,twenty boarders could be easily obtained ey had the accommodations; if this is not granted Mr Smith s the boarding department should be given up. There are two at Mt,Pleasant that could be sold,one for $250 the other $3000; f this could be done the money might be used for this addi- l building at Springville. Mr Boyd reported that this matter eferred for further information. Mr Smith suggested that the g room at Mt Pleasant be sold and a home be erected at this Resolved that if the property in Utah not needed and not to be needed belonging to the Board of Home Missions can be he money received from such sale be used for this purpose.

The opening of school at Franklin,Idaho,was deferred un- re money was in hand.

The action allowing Dr Hill and Dr Wishard authority to acancies on the field was declined by the Board. The Execu-

e Committee thought that the School Committee meeting but once onth it would delay matters very much when prompt action was essary.

The resignation of Mrs Shirley was referred to the office h power.

Additional teacher at Zuni,N.M. granted.

Mrs Stephenson of California granted $600 for one year m June 1st,as a special.

Miss Allen of Chaperito,N.M. writes stating that she has eived $88 from Mrs Bray for the erection of a building,the Comtee pay $60 a year for rent and if she can have the amount exded in rent together with the $88 she can put up a suitable building on our lot. This was granted by School Committee and Board.

The matter of El Moro,N.M. was deferred to Dr.Kirkwood to whether it should be continued or the teacher be transferred Del Norte,N.M.

The School Committee thought the purchase of property as by Dr Hill at Muskogee,Ind.Ter. for $750 might be a good inment to save the school from any annoyance,and it might possibe sold in lots. Dr Hill has already paid $450 on this purse and asks the Committee to reimburse him for this,and assume payment of the $300 remaining. After consideration of this er,resolved that we decline to purchase this property considerour present financial condition,and the fact that we have a haser be communicated to Dr.Hill.

Tahlequah. New roof was granted by School Committee after s are taken to see if it cannot be repaired for less than the called for.

Washington College,Tenn. Ten scholarships granted ,price left to Executive Committee who place it at $50.

Red Oak,N.C. This matter deferred until Dr.Roberts return his trip as there is a question regarding the Southern church ved.

El Rito,N.M. to go on as before.

Pleasant Grove,Utah,repairs; Mr Eaton is investigating.

Mr.Boyd reported that news was received that Fred Moore ife had left Chilkat,Alaska,and another teacher will have to nt there. This needed immediate attention.

The regular business was then attended to.

Letter from Mr Curtis of Las Vegas,N.M. regarding Miss 's qualifications as a speaker,from which it is thought that uld interest others in her special work but her voice is not adapted to public speaking. She is not the one for the work d and Mrs Davis will be written to to this effect.

Miss Scott transferred to Las Cruces writes she is withrniture of any kind. It is feared a letter written to Miss telling her to apply to the Committee for any needed articles e her comfortable,after writing Mrs Granger to see what was

essary,must have been lost. There are still some articles of niture at Albuquerque,N.M. that she might make use of. Resolved t we ask Mr Eaton to act in the matter regarding the furnishing her room and at the same time assure him that we have written s Scott to apply to him.

As Miss Mc Pheeters had not been paid for house sold to Executive Committee in Monroe,Utah,resolved that the legacy $300 which came during the summer from for our building d and $100 received from the sale of Silver Reef,Utah,amounting $400 ,be paid Miss Mc Pheeters as soon as convenient by Mr Eaton.

Mrs Pierson asks that Mrs Miller be allowed to go to eville ,N.C. and visit the school when on her trip to Maryville, n. Resolved that Mrs Miller take in as much of the mountain te work as is consistent with her engagements.

Being in need of a new type-writer,resolved that a new be purchased at once,the kind left to the office for decision. that the old one be retained for Cyclostyle work after being in good repair.

Mrs Boyd read resolutions regarding the death of Dr.Ken- which were approved with thanks. Mrs Boyd also read revised er to be sent to the different denominations regarding the day rayer for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. It was suggested a different letter be written our own denomination to that of er churches. Suggestion was made that it be recommended that oon as the invitation is received,prayer for this purpose begin continue until the week of prayer;also a notice be sent to Sy- cal Presidents of the action with a copy enclosed. Mrs Boyd red to leave this letter with Mrs James to revise.

The matter of Synodical and Presbyterial blanks needing diate attention,was given into the hands of Mrs Finks and Mrs yman.

On motion it was resolved that calendars be sent our new ers.

Mrs Pierson made inquiries regarding the printing of the le written by Dr Wishard,as a leaflet. Resolved that inquiry de of the American Tract Society as to whether they will this matter at their own expense.

Recess taken at 1.30

Afternoon session. Telegram from Mrs Kelly of Baltimore ,asking what speakers were expected to be with them at their l meeting. After discussion this was left with the office ecision.

The purchase of Miss Robertson's piano was again consid- nd as we are not allowed to buy pianos for our schools,on it was resolved that the amount of rent for the last five at the rate of $30 per year be paid Miss Robertson.

Miss Robertson's salary not having been decided it was ted that in view of the amount of money she has brought into

treasury,and the amount she will bring in,that her salary be
ed at $75 per month for ten months; that we accept her resigna-
making this offer. Resolved that at her earnest solicitation
rant her request to retire from the work at the time of the
ration of her commission,and she be paid $75 a month from Sept
to Dec. 1st; and any time that she desires to re-enter our work
request will be favorably considered.

Resolved that the matter of Miss Robertson's going to
nk be left as it is,she to meet with societies in Illinois lat-
Suggestion was made that Miss Robertson be called Synodical
tor when writing societies about her.

Letter to be written Miss Ludlum regarding the resolution
o women occupying the pulpit when visiting the churches.

Mrs James received a letter from Miss Stephenson,Ashe-
,N.C. asking permission to get up a list of subjects for the
r meetings in schools. After discussion and various sugges-
it was thought well to purchase such a pamphlet already pre-
and sold in Chicago,send to our teachers asking if they ap-
d and if not suggest something for themselves. This matter
eferred to a committee.

New society reported in California by Mrs Elderkin.

Miss Fitts newly appointed teacher for Kaysville,Utah,
eaching the field in time to begin with the school term on ac-
of delays,Mrs Knox the minister's wife took her place . As
Fitts will be paid from the time she enters the work resolved
Mrs Knox be remunerated for the time spent in the school work.

The rooms not having been cleaned for some time resolved
Mrs Baker see that the rooms are cleaned,carpets shaken and
own again.

Logan,Utah.' Mrs Shirley having resigned did not take any re-
bility after the opening of school. Mrs Smith attended to
ceiving of pupils and took the position of matron for the
eing; she had already rented a house,the Board did not ac-
rs Shirley's resignation thus leaving Mrs Smith in a peculiar
on. Motion made and carried that this matter be referred to
fice with power.

There being vacancies in our Sitka school,it was re-
that a very carefully prepared card be sent to the Evange-
or the next issue advertising for a principal teacher in the
room,and a teacher of sewing and dressmaking. Mrs Miller
are this advertisement.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Oct. 4th,1892.

Letter to Miss Robertson,read.
Action of Ways and Means Com. regarding Miss Robertson's piano upheld.
World's Congress of Missions asks for a speaker.
Mrs Warne's sister appointed to take the place of Fred Moore
Difficulties of Committee in putting up buildings.
Miss Robertson desires to go to Northfield to address students
Sisseton,So.Dakota. Mr Mc Afee's report of condition of things
Tucson,Arizona. Mrs Billman is desired for office work.
Isleta,N.M. Mrs Craig meets opposition. Work in general.
Taos,El Prado,N.M. Mr.Romero desires to sell house to Com.
Los Angeles,Cali. Committee asked to provide scholarships
Las Vegas,N.M. Expense of pupils.
Box Elder,Utah. Scholarship desired for Mormon boy,who has been placed in a saloon.
Franklin,Idaho. Mrs Mead will be quite satisfactory.
Salina,Utah. Teacher to be sent,or is building to be rented.
Altan,N.C. Miss Hotchkiss desires advise as to her management
Miss Mc Donald enduring much discomfort.
Miss Goodrich to receive expression of satisfaction of her work
Each member of office to have one of three holidays next week
Mrs Davis satisfied with the conditions of Committee.
Report on small map,calendar and catalogue.
Mrs Agnew report on the grading of our schools.
Locust Level,N.C. Miss Glover describes its success
Asheville,N.C. Mrs Pratt suggests applying scholarships of day school to proposed school for boys
Asheville,N.C. Question of issuing certificates of stock for boys' school.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee Tuesday Oct 4th, 10.30 A.M. Present Mrs Bailey and Mrs Boyd from Harrisburgh, Miss Glover our teacher from Locust Level,N.C.;twelve other ular members were present.

Meeting opened with reading of Scripture and prayers. Minutes of last Committee of Ways and Means read and ap- ved.

Mrs Boyd read letter to Miss Robertson which she thought ht satisfactorily explain the action of the Committee as report in these Minutes,showing that the only desire of the Committee to deal most generously with one so long devoted to the work of e Missions and always held in the light of a faithful sister.

Action of the Committee of Ways and Means upheld by the cutive Committee as to the disposition of Miss Robertson's piano.

The World's Congress of Christian Missions ask for a - ker or speakers at their coming convention,also for topics for ussion. Mrs Boyd reported that our Committee has been requested end in a history of our work to be read at this Congress,and ested that such a paper be made out at once so as to be in read- s for their call. A matter carried that the matter be referred he Publication Committee asking them to have such a paper pre- d.

Mrs Pierson reported that Fred Moore and his wife who assistants to Mr and Mrs Warne at Chilcat,Alaska,have left the d suddenly,placing Mr and Mrs Warne in a very unpleasant posi- . A sister of Mrs Warne's who is a trained nurse and whose cre- ials are now in the office and satisfy the secretaries as a tem- ry supply. Motion carried that she be commissioned to fill the of Mr Warne's assistant under the rules of the Board which that their employees must pay their own traveling expenses if decline to make an engagement for three years. As to the re- ssion of Fred Moore, the Board thinks it not well to make use s services for a time,in view of his sudden departure without e or leave. Motion carried that we concur in this view of the .

Mrs James gave a sketch of the difficulties the Committee s under in putting up buildings with rapidity on the field, ving the societies donating the funds so much dissatisfaction e length of time consumed. Mrs James was requested to have this very statement put into the H.M.Monthly,hoping that it e an explanation to societies of the difficulties we contend

Miss Alice Robertson asks if she can comply with a re- from the Northfield students to address them on Sunday. Mo- arried allowing her to do this.

Mr Mc Afee has arrived at Sisseton,So.Dak. and reports g a school of forty pupils all under Miss Rockwell alone. He ly obtained two assistants for her. At Good Will there is left but Miss Foreman,Mrs Robe having left.Miss Foreman

simply a seamstress,but is now acting matron. He will put Mrs Afee in at once to relieve her and will look for speedy relief. tion carried that we approve of the action of Mr Mc Afee,and so quaint him.

Mr Billman writes asking that Mrs Billman be put in at e head of the office work,and a man and his wife be sent him to the outside work. This matter left to the office with power.

Mrs Craig writes from Isleta,N.M. that she is laboring der great opposition from the Roman Catholics and her cellar is nanded for the storing of newly made wine. The odor of the fermen- tion is very disagreeable to her and permeates her bed-room. She ations her son who has just graduated from a Western college,who ld now come to her assistance and would pay his own traveling enses should we feel like commissioning him. He is a Christian ng man,24 years old,and would be of great assistance to her. Miss coln questioned the advisability of maintaining this school at eta in view of so great opposition and the few we could reach. motion this question referred to the Board with the opinion of Committee expressed not in favor of continuing there.

Mr Romero,the evangelist at El Prado de Taos,N.M. has nished a school house and offers this with his own house and und to the Board for $500 and he gave $750 for the property. s Craig ,the teachers there asks to take for her assistant the of Mr Romero who offers his services for $150 per annum. It is difficult to secure a young American girl and no one could be re under $250. A motion carried granting Miss Craig this na- assistant and referring the purchase of Mr Romero's property he Board for advice.

Mrs Forsyth of Los Angeles ,Cal. asks if the Committee provide scholarships for the Spanish pupils in this school,as do not see how they can do more than supply the building. Fur- conference needed with the teacher to ascertain the number of larships needed and the amount at which to fix them. Such cor- ndence ordered.

Miss Beekman writes from Las Vegas,N.M. that she esti- the expense of each pupil at $8 a month,exclusive of the ers' salaries. This letter referred to the School Committee.

Miss Williamson of Box Elder,Utah,writes of a Mormon boy as been taken out of school and put in a saloon. Mrs Honeyman ng the particulars of the case and the young man having inter- every one who knows him,proposed that a scholarship be se- for him and that he be placed either in the Salt Lake Insti- or at Logan. Mrs Honeyman has expectations that this scholar- ay be easily secured. His clothing might also be obtained ome society. Motion carried that this matter be referred to neyman with our approval in the securing of a scholarship.

Dr Wishard writes that Mrs Mead of the school at Franklin will be quite satisfactory.

He writes regarding Salina,Utah whether we wish to rent building,or do we intend sending a teacher. Motion carried t the question be asked of Mrs Crosby who has maintained this ool.

Miss Hotchkiss at Altan,N.C. writes for advice as to her agement of the boys in her school only so far as they feel in-ned to secure favors by so doing.This causes dissatisfaction ng the teachers who have to do the household duties usually per-med by the boys . Miss Mc Donald also writes of enduring much sonal discomfort and hardly willing to enter upon the winter. view of these facts a motion was carried that Mrs Miller be re-sted to visit Altan and find out exactly what is needed to make teachers comfortable as well as to bring back the figures nec-ary to put up a small house for the teacher,the site desirable .

Mrs Parsons,referring to Miss Goodrich's volunteer work, ght no expression of interest or satisfaction had ever gone to from the Executive Committee. This was allowed at once to been a serious oversight and a motion was carried appointing Mason to write a letter to Miss Goodrich expressing the grati-tion of the Committee in her work.

A motion carried that each member of the office have at disposal one day of the three public holidays to occur next .

A letter was read from Mrs Davis,president of the Synod-Committee in Kansas ,stating that the conditions submitted to by the Committee for work on that field meets with her cordial val and sympathy and she expresses herself only desirous to erate with them.

Reports from the various Committees then given in turn, arsons beginning with a report on the small map in preparation; lso stated the Committee had prepared during the summer a new dar on a different basis from that of last year,in being very cheaper and yet answering the purpose of giving fresh material. s also resolved to issue a catalogue of leaflets distinct from on the cover of the magazine. A motion was carried approving ublication of a new calendar in view of its cost,the selling being only twenty-five cents.

After a full and thoughtful report from Mrs Agnew on the t of the grading of our schools and the stand we should as-in the future as to the limits of our work,Mrs Boyd offered a tion that a vote of hearty thanks be tendered Mrs Agnew for eat interest in the subject in hand and the material help ggestions had given..

Meeting adjourned at 1.30 P.M.

Afternoon session.

At the afternoon meeting Miss Glover of Locust Level,N.C. to ten ladies describing Stanley Hall as a success,and giving e of the good effects of Christian Endeavor meetings where

people will stay till ten o'clock coming at seven.

Mrs Pratt spoke of applying scholarships from Asheville school to the proposed school for boys at that place and sug-ted also memorial blanks.

The question of issuing certificates of stock for Ashe-le Boys' school was discussed and approved. Mr Eaton being led in for conference. The form for such certificates was re-red to Miss Eaton and her brother.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Oct 18th.,1892.

Holiday on Saturday on account of cleaning.
Washington College,Tenn. Scholarships to be $75 instead of $50
Elm Spring,Ind.Ter. Furnishing of one room with money received
Muskogee,Ind.Ter.Mrs Robertson offers to pay some of her money to Mrs Riddell to keep her.
Nuyaka,Ind.Ter. asks for another organ.
Richmond,Utah. Scholarship desired for Mormon girl.
Pleasant Grove,Utah. Two teachers too many for this field
Salt Lake City,Utah. Organ asked for for the church
Appeal to Dr Hall's church for money .
Penasco,N.M. Miss Zuver to remain.
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Murray asks to retire.
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Allison resigns with out giving reasons.
El Rito,N.M. Mrs Sleight asks that furniture be paid for
Miss Helen Parsons to receive thanks of Committee for her book.
Sitka,Alaska girl asks for some kind of work
Mrs Crosby resigns from Committee on account of health.
Miss Mc Harg wishes to be relieved also.
Tahlequah,Ind.Ter. Miss Loeb in poor health.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee Tuesday, Oct. 18th,
2. Opening prayer by Mrs Niven. Reading of Minutes of last
ting; also Treasurer's Report and Report of Ways and Means Com-
tee. All approved.

Cleaning of rooms making it impossible to work on Satur-
moved that this day be given as a holiday.

Scholarships at Washington College, Tenn. made $75 in-
d of $50. Committee ask that 20 scholarships instead of 10 be
ted.

Building at Elm Spring, Ind. Ter. Miss Montgomery asks if
may use the money she obtains to furnish one room for two teach-
Approved that she do so.

Mrs Robertson wishes to keep Mrs Riddell at Muskogee, Ind.
and desires to give some of her money that Mrs Robertson may
o. Referred for consideration to office to report at next meet-
Mrs Boyd moved that letter be written to Mrs Robertson thank-
her and saying that we can make some provision for this without
making such sacrifice.

Nuyaka asks for another organ. Declined on account of
ent financial condition.

Miss Mc Cartney of Richmond, Utah asks a scholarship for
rmon girl, to live with Miss Mc Cartney. Moved and approved.

Pleasant Grove, Utah. The Misses Taylor began work with
Dr Wishard thinks one should be sent to another field. Office
st that they should remain together. Moved and approved.

Rev J. Mc Lean of Salt Lake asks for an organ for his
h. Under our embarassed condition for money decided that we
t grant this request. Declined with a suggestion that he ap-
o his friends.

Moved that when Miss Lincoln makes the appeal for $1000
.Hall's church, that she also ask for the money for an organ
iss Goodrich. Approved.

New Mexico. Action formerly taken to close the school
nasco; reparations had been made for the season and Miss Zuver
that she be allowed to remain. The request was granted.

Miss Murray at Santa Fe, N.M. asks to be allowed to retire.
that she be allowed to do so with letter of appreciation for
ork.

Miss Allison of Santa Fe, N.M. resigns her position with-
ving reasons. After discussion moved that it be not accepted
letter written expressing that the Executive Committee hold
too high esteem to allow her to retire. Miss Allison reports
er number of small girls, too small for work and so asks she
ploy a colored man as assistant in laundry. Moved and approved.

Mrs Sleight at El Rito, N.M. asks that we pay for the room
ure.

Moved that we present thanks of the Executive Committee
Helen Parsons for her book on Iroquois Indians presented

he Rooms.

Young girl at Sitka, Alaska, whp asks for some kind of that she may remain at school and so be under Christian influ-. Moved that such provision be made for her.

Miss Peck presented the resignation of Mrs Crosby as rman of the Indian Committee. Moved that she be asked to recon-r.

Miss Mc Harg asked to be relieved from Advisory Committee. st granted and she be invited to attend meetings when conve-t.

Miss Loeb of Tahlequah in such poor health. Mrs Boyd asking her to come to Perth Amboy for recuperation; lack of ble rooms make it necessary that she should find a resting with friends if possible. Dr Cattell will be glad to accom-e her if possible. Miss Lincoln moved thanks to Dr Cattell indness in granting the favors of the home.

Meeting adjourned after a closing prayer.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Nov., 1st 1892.

Topic of subsequent month to be taken up at third prayer meeting
Home Mission Monthly to publish programme a month in advance
Miss Goodrich proposed as a member of advisory committee
Gov.Knapp of Alaska speaks on the work
Blanks sent out to our societies,general form of.
Synodical sustentation. Synods urging this.
Mrs Davis doing excellent work
Report from Synods be given at third meeting.
Fred Moore has disappointed Executive Committee.
Miss Fannie Willard's salary.
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. Mrs Riddell to board in school.
Redland,Ind.Ter. Miss Guernsey has no school equipments
San Bois,Ind.Ter. urged to open school at this point.
Benjamin,Utah. New department needed. Mrs Hone offers her room
Salina,Utah. two teachers needed. Mrs Crosby's ideas.
Hoopa Indians of Cali. appeal for help.
San Rafael,N.M. Miss Wilson married to a Mexican
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Allison feels it due to herself to leave
Locust Level,N.C. offer of fifty acres of land.
Asheville,N.C. Name of Boy's school.
Clothing for some of the day schools allowed.
Miss Meeker to be stenographer in treasurer's office.
Communications going to societies to be inspected by three in the office.
Mrs Boyd to prepare condensed copy of minutes for Synodical officers.
Discussion as to best method of correspondence with teachers
Wilmington,Del. letter regarding the division of its funds.
Washing City Presbytery asks that no new work be undertaken until salaries can be promptly paid
What is to be done with members of S.School Army.
Altan,N.C. Miss Miller relates her visit.
Ona Blanca,N.M. needs fuel.
Sitka,Alaska. Appeal for clothing
Resolution of sympathy to President Harrison in his trouble
Mrs Boyd reported on history of Committee sent to Columbian Exposition.

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee Nov.1st,1892.
sent about eighteen ladies,Mrs James presiding. Meeting opened th reading of Scripture and several prayers.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Mrs James d for an expression as to taking up the topic of the subsequent th at our prayer meeting on the third Tuesday,in order that la- coming in especially for information to carry back to their eties may be fully equipped. A motion to this effect was car- l.

Mrs Finks also suggested that the Home Mission Monthly l publish the Monthly programme a month in advance the sane on holding good in both cases. Motion carried approving this ge also ,this necessitating two separate programmes for Dec. Jan.

Mrs James proposed the name of Miss Goodrich sister of Goodrich of North Carolina,as member of the Advisory Committee Mrs Brownell the name of Mrs Theodore Weston. Motion was car- approving both these nominations.

Gov.Knapp of Alaska came in and was introduced to the ittee. Many friendly questions were asked the Gov. by those had visited Alaska last summer. Stated that public education not as yet satisfactory and compulsory measures might have to nforced but he thought not in vigorous measure. Prof. Kelly erly in our school,is now Government Commissioner of education they need a good superintendent as well. Mrs Boyd with a few natory words desired to express the gratification of the Exec- Committee in the strong moral support given to their work by Knapp. Mrs Boyd's resolution was ratified by a standing vote. Knapp expressed much pleasure in this expression of the Execu- Committee,and desired that it might be put in writing that he carry it back to his fellow workers in Alaska. Mrs Boyd was to write out the resolution and hand it to Gov.Knapp,and Mrs requested a copy of it to go to each Synodical Society.

Mrs Honeyman and Mrs Finks having been appointed a commit- o consider the form of blanks sent out to societies brought e the Committee the result of their deliberations. Mrs Finks of the changes in our constituency,especially in working in unday Schools since the blanks we are using were last revised. to these changes she suggested changing four items in the on the blanks,substituting four others which would meet the t situation. The four items being "Amount contributed to ilding Fund"; "to the General Fund", "for teachers' salaries" "scholarships". The four to replace them being "Amounts con- ed by Societies"; "by Bands"; "by Sunday Schools" and by "So s of Yound People's Endeavor". Mrs Boyd made motion expres- reat satisfaction in this change which was unanimously sec- by the Executive Committee. A vote of thanks was also ten- the committee making this change in the Blanks so wisely and

efully.

Mrs James spoke of the Synods throughout the country urg- upon the women's Synodical societies the taking up of Synodical tentation; we must therefore come to some conclusion on the sub- t in order to advise our constituents. Another idea is that the rd employ a man to visit societies of Christian Endeavor urging n them the work of Missions, and if necessary the expense of such isitor be shared by us.

Mrs James mentioned the fact that Mrs Davis of Newton, sas is doing excellent work as a speaker and is visiting socie- s and Synods at our expense and with most admirable results. James said she could say the same of all the visitors who had e out from our office that she heard on all sides their praises. otion was carried that the reports from the Synods be given at third Tuesday of the month as a larger number would be in at- dance who would be interested in hearing them.

Mrs James reported that Fred Moore has disappointed the es of the Executive Committee at Chilkat, Alaska, where he was pointed to aid Mr Warne. As the Board has released him from his gement all that remains for us is to concur in their action.

A motion was carried that the salary of Fannie Willard hereafter from Sept 1st made $450 in view of her capacity as a her. Miss Lincoln reported that the salaries of all the teach- are now paid up to date saving five whose reports have only within two days.

Mrs Robertson of Muskogee, Ind.Ter. having offered $62 of own salary in order that Mrs Riddell may board in the home e she has now only the room needed for her kindergarten. A mo- was carried with thanks to Mrs Robertson and Mrs Riddell be wed to board in the school since the expense is not large.

Miss Guernsey writes from Redland, Ind.Ter. that she has chool equipments whatever, the building having been put up by natives but not furnished. Motion carried that this case be re- d for further information and that the necessary furnishings nt if found to be approved by the Board.

The Board of Home Missions is urged to open a school at ois, Ind.Ter. as a church building there would furnish the room 300 would be all that would be needed to carry on the school. and seconded that this being new work shall be referred to ay conference.

A new department being needed at Benjamin, Utah, is strong- ged by Miss Peck and Mrs Hone, the attendance being so large. one offers a room in her own house for the purpose and if com- oned will be the assistant. Referred with approval to the Board.

Mr. Stopps of Salina, Utah thinks that if the school is con d two new teachers are needed, but questions at the same time ntinuance of this school Dr. Wishard does not think it well e up any of our mission work in Utah, but at this point it

t be well on account of a good public school. Mrs Crosby thought t two full salaried teachers are not needed there,but one teach- nd an assistant would be sufficient for the work. Motion car- that this matter be referred to Mrs Crosby in consultation the Secretaries. Motion carried that Miss Green and Mrs De be asked to speak at the next New York Presbyterial meeting fourth Monday in Nov. ,the invitations to be extended as widely ossible.

An appeal comes to us to do something for the Hoopa Indi- in Cal. Motion carried that correspondence be held as to what could promise to do on the field before we give our answer.

Miss Ada Wilson was yesterday married to a Mexican. She tationed at San Rafael,N.M. and asks if she may retain her tion till the close of the school year and keep also the schol- ip pupil who has been living with her. A motion carried that request be granted for the time mentioned,the close of the ol year as she has done good work in the past.

Miss Allison writes that she is constrained to leave her as she feels it due to herself to do so. Mrs James thinks that s indeed weary in her work and certainly needs a helper. A Woodside being mentioned as a helper it is left with the of- hoping that relief may be furnished her. A motion carried that Allison be urged to continue in the work till the end of the l year and asked then to take a year's rest.

Miss Ufford writes from Locust Level,N.C. that she has n offer made her of fifty acres of wood land for $246 and begs she may be allowed to make this purchase (the Board consenting) ded she can raise the money outside the usual channels.

The name of the Boy's school at Asheville,N. C. is to be ed upon as it is necessary in getting up the certificates of . The matter of name is to be submitted to Mr Pease and Miss nson as well as to Mr.Dodge.

Mrs Baker reports that appeals are coming in for clothing e day schools,pupils often being unable to attend for lack table clothing. Resolved that Mrs Baker be allowed to appeal ch articles to societies where she feels judgment will be n sending.

Miss Lincoln suggested that Miss Meeker in the office be ted stenographer to the Treasury Department under training iss Lincoln. Motion carried approving of this arrangement. and shelves being needed in the office their purchase was oned by the Committee.

Resolved that all communications going out to societies ds etc. be inspected by the three offices in the rooms before ave the building.

Mrs Boyd was appointed to look through all the minutes of tings in order to prepare a somewhat condensed copy to send dical presidents once a month; Mrs Baker to make a type- copy the day after the meeting for her use.

A long discussion was held as to the best method of continuing the correspondence with teachers, and the fact being assured that this friendly correspondence is of mutual benefit and comfort to both those writing and those receiving letters, Mrs Galloney and Mrs Parker were requested to be the overseers of this department and see that the pigeon holes are always filled with interesting matter.

Matter adjourned at 1 P.M.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee in the afternoon of the same day. Letter read from Mrs E.T.Taylor, Wilmington, Del. regarding the giving of part of its funds of the Executive Committee to the Board for its work. She feels opposed to so doing as she feels the Board should endeavor to get funds the same way that the women do from the private incomes of the men. Mrs James thought an explanation might satisfy them that it is the support of missionaries among the exceptional population that we may be occasionally asked for. She proposed that these occasional cases might be presented to Christian Endeavor Societies. If we take up sustentation we cannot them help the Board in these cases among the exceptional population which they feel unable to meet. Mrs Boyd was requested to prepare a letter to be sent in answer to letters now coming in on this subject and to submit it to the next meeting of Ways and Means Committee.

The recording secretary of the Presbytery of Washington City sends a resolution "Whereas we find from time to time that teachers' salaries are unpaid at the time that they are due etc., etc.," they appeal to the Board to undertake no new work till these salaries can be promptly paid. Resolved to pass this resolution on to the Financial Committee of the Board of Home Missions as requested. Mrs Boyd however stated that Mr.Eaton had been ordered this last summer to borrow such a sum of money as would entirely cover all teachers' salaries, and they would hereafter be paid regularly.

Mrs Pierson stated that the question is now coming on, when you have enlisted this large army of Sabbath School workers, what are you going to do with them? Mrs James thought they should be in receipt of information of the work several times a year to keep up their interest and intelligence. Miss Eaton to be appointed to have this in hand. Miss Stocking having prepared a book on Columbian entertainments for possible use in our mission schools, motion was carried thanking Miss Stocking for her book and referring it to the Publication Committee for examination.

Mrs Miller told of her visit to Altan, N.C. to Miss Hotchkiss' school. The place was reached aftera night journey of three different changes. She found the Hotchkiss Home rather pleasanter than she expected and Mr Hotchkiss and all were most hospitable and kind, and he asked a blessing every meal. These were abundant and good. Miss Mc Donald is not very pleasantly located, no carpet or washstand, yet she said she was comfortable and was cooking for her-

lf. Mrs Miller thinks she would do better work somewhere else. e school building is finedy located on an eminence with a pleas- t shade about it. There are two large rooms, the library and hool room both attractive and pleasant; the library is used as a citation and reading room. This building and the ground 18 rods uare has been offered to the Board for $300. Mrs Miller thinks ss Hotchkiss is a valuable woman ,while she lacks a tenderness of nner, she has strength of character and is well received in all e cottages about. Miss Blackburn will do good, promising work but tween her and Miss Hotchkiss there should be another consecrated man. Miss Mc Donald declared herself ready to go back to Utah if desired. As to the alterations desired by Miss Hotchkiss she eds two recitation rooms, she cannot get along without them. out $400 she thought would cover the expense. There is room ough for a small teacher's home on the same ground. Miss Hotch- ss does not approve of asking any service of her pupils as she ys they are too overworked in their homes. Mrs Miller argued at eat length with her on this subject but with no effect. Mrs Mil- r thinks that since the Board has purchased the property we will ve to put up a teacher's home of four or five rooms. Miss Good- ch's home cost but $400.

Mrs James stated that Mrs Thompson of Pena Blanca, N.M. eds fuel and brings in all she can. We want to assure her that will provide her with fuel. Motion so ordered.

Mrs De Vore made an earnest appeal for clothing for Sitka, ska, and Mrs James hopes that societies may be urged to send cloth- to them at once. As Mrs Baker receives more demands for such es than she has blanks to fill out it is thought she can secure ficient in this way. Put as a motion and carried.

Mrs James proposed a resolution of sympathy should be sent President Harrison in his bereavement. Mrs James asked to draw such a resolution.

Mrs Boyd reported on the history of our Committee to be t to the Columbian Exposition that she had sent a number of icles bearing on our work and its connection with the Board.

Adjourned at 4 P.M.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.
Nov. 9th.,1892.

Mrs Davis successful speaker; salary of teacher secured.
Baltimore,Md. writes regarding incorporation of W.E.C. independent of Board.
Mrs Stevenson writes of difficulty in rousing Pre. Presidents in Cali. to their duty.
Space to be decided upon as needed at Columbian Exposition.
Appeal for Prayer not gone out yet.
Dr.Mc Millan sends name of minister's daughter as a helper
Circular letters to be taken care of by Mrs Parker and Galloney
New Jersey undertakes $2000 for Boy's Ind. School.
Penasco,N.M. and Pena Blanca are in need of comfortable rooms
Mrs Menaul should push these buildings
Committee of school buildings appointed by Board,ready to confer at anytime.
Chicago,Ill. city work suggested to them.
Indian Committee presented by Mrs Crosby,who gives up the work
Salina,Utah. should be an academy.
Springville,Utah. dining hall needed.
Richfield,Utah academy needed
Mrs De Voreto address Boston societies on Alaska needs.
C.E. society in Chicago would like an object to present.
Sabbath Schools in Washington wish some object assigned them
El Ranche,N.M. plastering and painting referred.
Mr Menaul to give in a semi-annual report of repairs and buildings
Board asked to pay half the repairs on church at Salt Lake Cit
Nephi,Utah map of Palestine needed
Spanish Fork,Utah. desks needed
Pleasant Grove,Utah request for $45.50
Payson,Utah. chimney needed
Mt Pleasant,Utah. ten tons of coal
Anadarko. Ind.Ter. stable and wagon needed
San Bois,Ind.Ter. referred to Spring Conference
Sisseton,So.Dakota lumber granted.
Pelican Lake,Minn. ten acres of land asked for.
Asheville,N.C. horse,buggy,harness night watchman granted.
Salary of Miss Kennedy,deceased to be paid to end of year
Red Oak,N.C. school granted.
El Rito,N.M. request that furniture be purchased.
" " " request that Mrs Sleight be removed to Mora.
Ardmore,Ind.Ter. Miss Aughey returns to her home discouraged.
Altan ,N.C. Board decline to purchase property.
Springville,Utah. Mr Smith breaking down; assistant desired
Wellsville,Utah. Miss Shail offers to give music lessons free to one pupil in each family

Fort Wayne,Ind. desires speaker
Miss Wilson,married a Mexican; proposed to commission her for school year.
Nephi,Utah. Miss Knox wishes to keep two little girls.
Audenried,Pa. Mr Mc Nair asks for help among the Italians
The occupying of pulpit at Sabbath services. Miss Ludlum.
Interpreter for Alaska. $25 not sent as yet.
Question of financial exhibit in H.M.Monthly every month.
Acknowledging of letters from other denominations referred to Miss Burnet.
Matters presented to Secretaries.
Synodical sustentation.
Ardmore,Ind.Ter.
El Rito,N.M.
Altan,N.C.
Assistant for Prof Smith,Springville,Utah.
Delayed salaries of teachers
Italian work in Penna.
Miss Green's salary ,as she is resting and addressing societies
Organ for Salt Lake City,Utah
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. land purchased by Dr Hill for Committee
Pleasant Grove,Utah repairs.
Dr.Roberts gave the Committee two missionaries for support
Missionaries proposed by Dr Roberts discussed by Committee
Receipts for money sent W.E.C. delayed in reaching parties
Miss Taft to assist Mr.Bull.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee on Wednesday,Nov 9th t 10.30 A.M. Present Mrs James,Mrs Parsons,Mrs Miller,Mrs Boyd, rs Pierson,Mrs Brownell,Mrs Roberts,Mrs D.O.Wickham,Mrs Crosby, nd Mrs Paul. Meeting opened by usual devotional exercises.

It was reported that Mrs Davis of Newton,Kansas,who is ddressing meetings for us is very successful and has just secured he salary of a teacher among the Mountain Whites.

Mrs Kelly,president of Synodical Committee of Baltimore, rites to Mrs Bryan of Pa. regarding the incorporation of the Wo- n's Executive Committee independently of the Board of Home Mis- ons. (Private)

Mrs Stevenson writes regarding the difficulty in rousing esbyterial presidents to their duty in California which makes her sition as synodical president very trying.

Mrs James said we must at once decide on the space we all need at the Columbian Exposition and the exhibit we shall dis- ay. Also another matter to be decided is the number and names of eakers for the World's Congress in the Fall. The Committee ap- inted to have this matter in hand were,Mrs Roberts,chairman,Mrs D.Wickham and Mrs Parsons.

The appeal for Prayer has not yet gone out fully to so- eties,through some misunderstanding. The decision was to have em sent to the secretaries of presbyterial societies for general stribution,first notifying synodical presidents,or secretaries.

Dr.Mc Millan sends the name of the daughter of a minister would be a very capable helper in the office.The name will be t on file for possible use.

Mrs Parker and Mrs Galloney of Brooklyn being anxious devote their time to the work of the Woman's Executive Committee, James proposed that they undertake to circulate letters from chers. To secure these letters a cyclostyle letter to be sent all societies supporting teachers,to be prepared in the office, se ladies to circulate them. A motion carried to this effect. intimation was given to them that this would be tried as an ex- iment and only continued if it lessen and does not increase the k in the office.

New Jersey has undertaken $2000 for the Boys' Industrial ool at Asheville,N.C. While this is encouraging we should not lect our old work.

Miss S.Zuver at Penasco,N.M. and Mrs Thompson of Pena nca,N.M. are both in need of comfortable rooms and something uld be done for them. Miss Lincoln reported $600 in for Pe- co and something also for Pena Blanca. Money is also in hand Kaysville,Utah.

Mrs James thinks Mr Menaul should be authorized to push se buildings as soon as the money is in.

At a late meeting of the Board,Mr Eaton,Dr Roberts,Mr wood and Mr Dodge were appointed a committee on school building

nd chapel-school-houses,and they wish us informed that they stand eady at all times to confer with us.

The Presbyterial society of Chicago writes that it has een suggested that work be undertaken among the exceptional popu- ation of their own city,as it exhibits a field as large and impor- ant as any in distant territories. They propose the establish- ent of two schools one on the East and one on the West side of the ity,which the Executive Committee will support. A conference with he secretaries was thought advisable on this point as well as on indred points.

Mrs Crosby presented the list of names for the Indian ommittee which she now feels compelled to leave. Mrs Crosby hinks the changes of names of teachers should be sent to the Chair- an of the various committees as soon as such change is made to void mistakes in the correspondence.

Mrs Crosby also stated that Mr Stoops opinion is that e school at Salina,Utah should hereafter be an Academy which is re needed. Mrs Crosby desires the money she has given to Salina continued at that point.

The dining hall for Springville,Utah,Miss Green says must put up at once as well as the Academy at Richfield.

Mrs De Vore will be asked to address Boston societies on aska needs. The girls need a boat,and Miss Kelsey must have a lper. Mrs James suggests Miss Greenwood of Roseville as perhaps e woman for this post. A motion carried that Miss Kelsey have a lper at once. Left to the office with power to act after consulta- on with the secretaries.

Mrs Roberts read letter from Mrs Forsyth,daughter of Mrs ynes of Chicago. She reports the work of their Christian Endeavor ciety for Missions and that they would like an object to present their next H.M.Meeting. Mrs Miller suggested an offering toward s Thompson's salary at Pena Blanca.

Miss Lincoln proposed handing the letter to Miss Eaton o has charge of work done by C.E.Societies.

Mrs D.O.Wickham mentioned that she is informed that three bbath Schools in Washington have raised $75 in memory of a loved mber,which they would like to have assigned to some object in our rk. The furnishing of a Memorial room in Washington College,Tenn suggested as well as a scholarship. Mrs Wickham will consult h Miss Eaton.

Action of the School Committee of the Board.

The plastering of Mission house and painting roof of lding at El Ranche,N.M. was ordered referred.

That Mr Menaul be requested to give in a semi-annual re- t of the need of repairs and buildings in New Mexico.

The Board was asked to pay half the repairs on church at t Lake City,but as they decline,it was proposed that the rent receive for it be put to this use. A motion was carried that it referred to the office.

A map of Palestine needed at Nephi was granted.

The request for desks at Spanish Fork,Utah,was referred ith power.

At Pleasant Grove,Utah,the request for $45.50 was de- lined.

The request for chimney at Payson,Utah ,was granted.

The request for ten tons of coal at Mt Pleasant,Utah, as granted.

Stable and wagon shed at Anadarko,Ind.Ter. needed and commended to us. Motion carried granting this request.

New school at San Bois,Ind.Ter. to be referred to the ring Conference.

Eleven hundred feet of lumber needed at Sisseton,So.Dak. s granted.

The purchase of ten acres of land at Pelican Lake,Minn. ked by Mrs Gheen,was declined.

The request for a horse,buggy and harness,and also a ght watchman at one dollar per day,at Asheville,N.C. was granted.

The salary of Miss M.E.Kennedy ,deceased,ordered paid to e end of the year.

The request for a school at Red Oak,N.C. was granted at cost of $220 for teacher's salary.

Mrs Sleight asks that the Board purchases the furniture e had put in at El Rito,N.M. at $36.50,also that she be removed Mora. Motion carried that this be referred to conference with e secretaries.

Miss Aughey of Ardmore ,Ind.Ter. has been so much dis- raged in her school work that she has gone back to her home in ssouri.

We had promised the salaries of two teachers while the trons were to equip the building. But Miss Aughey went alone and one room only was furnished,for which reason broke up the school. s Aughey wishes to go to Paul's Valley,Ind.Ter.

Mrs Miller stated that the Board do not incline to pur- se the property at Altan and proposed that we withdraw our mo- n previously considered and so inform the Board.

Miss Munger of Springville,Utah write that Rev Mr Smith threatened with breaking down and she suggests an assistant for as this would enable him to continue his admirable work.

Miss Shail of Wellsville,Utah has offered to give music sons free to one pupil in each family to enlist their interest. her pupils only number eight,it was moved and seconded that she eive permission to do so but to be careful of her time.

The ladies of Fort Wayne,Ind. ask for a speaker at their ing meeting. Recommended that Mrs Miller be requested to address n. If Mrs Miller cannot do this,Mrs Davis will be asked to do so.

Miss Wilson having married a Mexican and we resolving to her full salary for the year,Mr Boyd advises our giving her ission for the school year as this will carry her through the

acation. Motion carried to this effect.

Request from Miss Knox of Nephi,Utah that she may keep he two little girls committed to her care. She has had one hundred ollars given her for their support rather than allow them to go nto the boarding department. A motion carried that Miss Knox be llowed to retain them for this year and the Portland ladies have he sum donated credited to them.

Rev. Mr Mc Nair of Audenried,Pa. asks for our help in the talian work of that region. Referred to conference with the secrearies.

With regard to Miss Ludlum occupying the pulpit at Sabath services in churches she visits,the Committee passed resoluon that she be requested on no occasion to occupy the pulpit durg the regular Sunday services as a representative of the Committee.

Motion carried that Mrs Boyd write Miss Ludlum the sense the Committee on this point,at the same time recognizing the lueable work she does for them.

The $25 ordered some time ago to be given to an Indian rl in Alaska as interpreter,seems to have been overlooked.Orred referred to Mrs Willard.

The question shall we have a financial exhibit every nth in our Home Mission Monthly,was carried in the affirmative.

Referred to Miss Burnett the acknowledging of letters from er denominationans which come in reply to us that they shall te with us in prayer for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

Adjourned at 1 M. for luncheon till 2 P.M.

Conference with the secretaries,Dr Roberts,Dr Irvin,Mr on and Mr Boyd.

Mrs James presented first the pressing upon the women of odical sustentation by various synods. Stated a reply was necary and we wished advice. Dr Roberts replied that he had given as his opinion that the women already had a noble work in hand could not be expected to spread their interests over such a ge and indefinite field as was proposed to them. They had howr expressed themselves as willing to aid the Board in the susteie of ministers among the exceptional populations which is closeconnected with their school work. He thought that this statewould be made to the Synods as all we could bind ourselves as to undertake.

Three arguments to be laid before them are: 1st,that we promised to sustain such ministers as we can among the excepal population that the Board may suggest.

2nd. That the thousands of Home Mission boxes we have sent through the synods should represent substantial aid given by women to the synods.

3rd. That the Government appropriation for schools being now drawn brings a heavy and new burden upon our Committee.

Dr Roberts in this connection lay before the ladies the mes of Mr Merwin, Los Angeles, Cal and Mr Cameron, Trinidad, Colo. be supported by them.

The matter of Miss Aughey of Ardmore, Ind. Ter. is to be scussed by the secretaries this afternoon.

The case of Mrs Sleight of El Rito, N.M. who wishes to be ansferred to Mora, will be referred to the School Committee. Mr yd stated that the altitude of El Rito was too great for any Amer-an woman.

When asked about the situation at Altan, Dr Roberts asser-d, as his opinion, to leave that school to Miss Hotchkiss to run by rself. As to the $300 promised to refund Miss Hotchkiss for her tlay, Mr Eaton said it had been passed by the School Committee ne months ago, but suggested that we offer her an organ and other hool supplies which would amount to nearly that amount.

Prof Smith needing an assistant his case was referred to Wishard. The dining hall at Springville, Utah being so much need-the gentleman suggested that the Penna. ladies give up the read-g room at Mt Pleasant, Utah and put the money in the dining room.

With regard to the disaffection in synod of Baltimore on irregular payment of teachers' salaries, Dr Roberts stated that long as money is borrowed on collaterals of the Board of Home ssions for the payment of the Women's work, the teachers could dly expect to have their salaries paid in advance of the mission-es. The receipts of the Executive Committee do not come in ly enough in the year to allow of any different course.

Rev Mr Mc Nair of Audenried, Pa. appealing for work among Italians of that neighborhood, to the amount of $20 a month for salary of a missionary among them. Dr Roberts thought it a case thy of correspondence and discussion, but it may be wise to say such application that one of our rules is that we shall establish schools where there are public schools and that we would have ask of General Assembly what they are willing to have us do. sbyteries should overture General Assembly and they could if y approved lay the work among the women.

Miss Green is now resting on a salary of $200 per annum, traveling as much as she does she needs something in addition. erred to Executive Committee who decided to give her $300 for s year.

Dr Roberts proposed that Mr Mc Clain requesting an organ ladies should try through their magazine or otherwise to obtain for him. Later referred to Mrs D.O. Wickham as an object for Memorial fund.

Dr Roberts also brought up the matter of the land at Mus-e, Ind. Ter. which Dr Hill has bought without consultation the Committee for $765. Recommended that we assume this pur-e for the protection of our property there. Should Mrs Robert-desire to purchase it, or any other purchaser with restrictions,

re is no objection to so doing.

The repairs at Pleasant Grove, Utah, call for about $46 perfect the alterations to make it a sightly building. The two chers there are paying no rent, it was considered well to ask them they could not divide this small sum between them.

The secretaries leaving, Mrs James brought up the case of two missionaries whose names Dr Roberts gave us for considera-n, the one in California and the other in Colorado. Motion was ried that we support these two men.

Complaints having come that receipts of moneys sent Wo-'s Executive Committee are delayed so that the donors have been e anxious about their remittances, therefore resolved, that we uest the Treasurer of the Woman's Executive Committee to ack-ledge such remittances within three days of their receipt.

Mr Bull needing assistant of about two hours a day a mo-n was carried that Miss Taft be requested to give this assist-e. Moved and seconded that Miss Lincoln represent us at meet-s of School Committee in place of Mrs Finks.

Meeting adjourned at 4 .30 P.M.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Nov. 15th.,1892.

Concord,N.C. Miss Carpenter married and keeps in the school.
Isleta,N.M. Mrs. Craig asks for the aid of her son.
Mrs De Vore has redeived an offer from Gov't to teach.
Maryville College,East Tenn. urges industrial department.
Tahlequah,Ind.Ter. Mr.King writes of buildings of Creek Nation which they hope the Pres. will buy.
Los Angeles,Cali. Scholarships $75 7 $10
Huntsville,Tenn. Organ of Miss Rankin left there.
Treasurer's report.
Advance on H.M.M. for month of Oct. $150
Discussion as to limit of W.E.C. work.
Map ready 1st of December. Calendar nearly ready
Two letters per year to go to Sabbath schools

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday, Nov 5th at 11.30 A.M. preceded by regular monthly prayer meeting, at hich about fifty ladies were present. Meeting conducted by Mrs uffield and an interesting address given by Miss Green of Utah.

About twenty ladies remained to the business meeting hich was presided over by Mrs Dr Roberts in absence of Mrs James. nutes of last regular meeting and two last meetings of Ways and eans Committee read and approved with necessary corrections.

Mrs Niven reported Rev Mr Merwin of California is a very teresting man and one who is likely to do a great deal of good. personal friend says she is much pleased that we are to undertake s support.

Miss Carpenter of Concord, N.C. has lately been married and t continues teaching in the school. Motion carried that Miss Carnter be corresponded with ascertaining the facts of the case and to her plan for the future, so that we may know what action to ke.

At Isleta, N.M. Mrs Craig asked for a helper in her son, d as the school is to be continued, she finds this necessary. The ary he is willing to accept is $150 for four months, the rate ual to a native teacher. Motion carried that Mr Craig be comssioned at this rate.

Mrs De Vore who has been addressing societies very acceply, writes us that she has received an offer from Government in a chool at Little Eagle, Dakota, on a salary of $60 a month. She s the case before us for our advice. Motion carried that we comicate with Mrs De Vore as to what she would be willing to reve from us should she continue in our employment.

Prof Waller of Maryville College, East Tenn., writes urging starting of an industrial department in that College. The cole to furnish the rooms, and equipment, and give free tuition, the cutive Committee furnishing the teachers only. Referred to the ing Conference after conference with the secretaries.

Mr King of Tahlequah, Ind. Ter. writes that the chief of Nation tells of some valuable buildings recently handed over the Creek Nation at Fort Gibson, which they are in hopes the sbyterian Church will furnish as a large school. Prompt action necessary as the property is being desired by other denominans. Referred for conference with School Committee and secreta-.

Mrs Forsyth writes that scholarships in Los Angeles are for boarding pupils and $10 for day pupils. Miss Lincoln statthat as $75 scholarships are considered too large to undertake ocieties and bands, advise that $50 only be asked of societies the remainder be made up from General Fund. She made a motion fifteen such scholarships should be promised in place of the ve asked for at $75. Motion was carried.

Mr Newman now in Union Seminary came in to see about an rgan which his cousin Miss Rankin, at Huntsville, Tenn purchased r the school there, in which we have one teacher. When she left Clemens desiring to retain it, accepted Mr Newman's note for 0 which he now feels obliged to ask us to make good to him. Mo- on carried that correspondence be held with the women of Synodi- l Committee of Tennessee to ascertain if they cannot secure this m.

Miss Lincoln gave treasurer's report:

Receipts for Home Missions	1891	$123.000.91
" " " "	1892	108.000.89
Showing deficit		15,000.02

Freedmen's work, $3,362 deficit.

Advance on Home Mission Monthly for month of October was $150. cieties are advancing in gifts, but legacies have been less, and e dropping of Government appropriations make a large difference.

A discussion having been held on the limit of the work the Woman's Executive Committee, Mrs Miller asked for information as to presenting the support of missionaries to the exception population to Christian Endeavor Societies. It was held to be wise thing to do to work them towards this end.

Mrs Parsons announced in behalf of the publication com- ttee that the map which was promised the Committee will be ready the first of Dec. The calendar is now nearly ready as well as catalogue of all our publications.

Mrs Boyd made mention of request from Miss Eston that at st two letters a year should go to Sabbath schools, acquainting m with our work, and these should now be prepared.

Meeting adjourned at 1.30 P.M.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.
Nov 22nd,1892.

Pleasant letter received from Miss Robertson,Muskogee,Ind.Ter.
Mrs Miller mentions hardships endure by ladies addressing societies
Laguna,N.M. Miss Shields to be retired from the work.
Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Allison needs two helpers.
Nuyaka,Ind.Ter. Mr and Mrs Marshall resign.
Parowan,Utah. assistant needed for the music.
Rev.Mr.Menaul asks for Kodak to use in his work.
Delay in schedules of teachers.
Yearly inventory on quarterly blanks for teachers
Treasurer of W.E.C. to represent Committee at meeting of School Committee
Sitka,Alaska,Miss Kelsey needs assistance.
Hot Springs,Alaska. Property to be pruchased.
Baskets to be ordered from points in Alaska for sale in office
Help needed in office,Dr Mc Millan recommends some one.
Mrs Walker to select fields she shall visit.
Mrs Blackburn ; home at Perth Amboy,N.J.
Industrial department at Maryville,Tenn not favored.
Delay in payment of teachers' salaries.
Plan for prayer meetings satisfactory.
Sitka,Alaska. Mrs Saxman asks that W.E.C. purchase articles belonging to her.
Fort Wrangell,Alaska. Mrs Thiwng desires organ.
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. how farshall hospitality extend.
Paul's Valley,Ind.Ter. opening to be considered.
Carlisle Presbyterial desires man to go among C.E.Societies.
Proposed that plans of work be presented at Presbyterial meetings rather than Synodical.
Hot Springs,N.C. Expenses of Miss Stryker.
St George,Utah. Thanksgiving offering. Expenses.
Asheville,N.C. Mrs Lawrence needs many articles.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee on Tuesday,Nov 22nd, 10.30 A.M. Present Mrs James, Mrs Honeyman,Mrs Roberts,Miss ck,Mrs Pierson,Mrs Miller,Mrs Brownell,Mrs Sinclair,Mrs Boyd and ss Lincoln. Meeting meeting opened with reading of Christ's care the ravens and a poem on the same subject by George Mc Donald.

Mrs James stated having had a pleasant letter from Miss ice Robertson in whcih she expresses herself as very anxious to ntinue in the service of the Woman's Executive Committee.

Mrs Miller spoke of the hardships to be endured by those dies addressing societies for us in the far West and that we ould make generous provision for them in the way of hotel accom- dations as they often arrive in places at hours when they cannot ter the homes provided for them. It was the unanimous statement the Committee to be liberal with their ladies.

Miss Shields of Laguna,N.M. is to be retired from the rk,the secretaries recommending this course to us. A motion rat- ying it was carried. To this was appended a resolution that she paid one quarter's salary in addition,in view of her long ser- ce.

At Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Allison has called in two helpers her emergency,and the recommendation comes to us that they con- ue through the year on the usual salary,but without commission. otion was carried to this effect.

Mr and Mrs Marshall send in their resignations from Nu- a,Ind.Ter. owing to Mrs Marshall's ill health. Motion carried t we accept their resignations,helpers to be found among the ps already engaged there.

At Parowan,Utah,an assistant is needed who can take charge the music. One of the Misses Taylor at Pleasant Grove is suggest- for the place,her place to be supplied by another. Motion car- d that for good reasons the sisters will be asked to acquiesce this arrangement.

Rev Mr Menaul writes for a Kodak to assist him in his as well as to enable him to take views for us. A motion was ied that we purchase an instrument to retain for our own use he field,and lend it to Mr Menaul for as long as he may need it. rred to Mr Finks in conference with Miss Lincoln the purchase his Kodak if too much expense is not incurred.

Some delay having occurred in getting out the schedules teachers,recommendations have been drawn up in the office to ent to the Board of Home Missions to further the arrangements with teachers,touching on all points of connection between hers and the Woman's Executive Committee. Mrs Miller read e recommendations at length. These were taken up one by one voted upon singly,and favorably in each case with very slight estions of change.

On the quarterly blanks sent out to teachers it is

ought wise to state that there will be space left for a yearly ventory of all school properties to be made out and sent to the fice.

As to the representation, at meetings of School Committee the Woman's Executive Committee, a motion was carried that the quest on paper of recommendations to the Board for the presence the treasurer of Woman's Executive Committee at all meetings of hool Committee read, treasurer or one of the secretaries.

Mrs Boyd voiced the sentiment of the Committee in a vote thanks to Mrs Miller for the carefully prepared paper of resolu-ons just read, showing her thorough grasp of the work.

Resolution passed that Miss Kelsey be written to that we tend to send her a helper and ask her if she can suggest any one the field, Indian or otherwise, who could fill the position.

In regard to the offer of property at Hot Springs, Alaska. tion carried that we confer with the Board as to the advisability having Mrs De Vore present it to the societies in Boston as well the boat for the girls, as an outside matter, and not for the Pres-terian church.

Mrs James proposed our ordering from Yakatak and Hydah good supply of baskets to have to offer societies and individuals iring them, as a good investment of money. A motion carried that sum of $25 be expended at each point, the money to be borrowed m the leaflet fund.

A permanent helper being needed in the office and a very able young woman having been recommended us by Dr Mc Millan, a mittee was appointed consisting of Mrs Sinclair and Mrs Roberts interview the lady and obtain all the side-lights possible on character and ability.

The choice of fields to be worked over by Mrs Walker to left with her, and a motion was carried that Colorado be includ-in those states in which we pay her traveling expenses, but at same time she shall be asked to have a collection taken up never she speaks.

burn There being some misunderstanding between Dr Cattell and Black in regard to the latter going to the Home at Perth Amboy, ion was carried that Dr Cattell be written to again laying be-e him all the arguments in Mrs Blackburn's favor.

Mrs Pierson reported that the secretaries do not favor idea of an industrial department for Maryville College, a motion therefore carried that we decline the proposition from inabili-o carry on the work.

Mr Kennedy writes in reply to the question brought up by imore society as to the delay in payment of teachers' salaries, eadh delay is now a thing of the past, and would never have oc-ed did the churches do their duty. As Dr Roberts is in corres-ence with these ladies, nothing further will be done with Mr edy's letter for the present.

Mrs Pierson also read letter from a lady in the Reformed urch, expressing herself as much interested in the plan for prayer etings during the week of prayer for the outpouring of the Holy irit, and has already appointed the hour.

Mrs Saxman asks that we purchase the few articles which e leaves at Sitka, the low estimate being $15. Motion carried at Mrs Saxman be paid this amount.

Mrs Thwing writes from Wrangell asking if there is not organ at Sitka unused which could be forwarded to them. If no ch organ is found to be there, Miss Lincoln is asked to correspond th Mrs Alexander as to the funds she has for an organ being ap-opriated at Fort Wrangell.

The question arises as to how far hospitality could be tended at Muskogee to visitors coming. It was decided to allow d pupils or others connected with the school to visit without arge for two days time, but beyond that their board would be ex-ted at the rate of $2 a week, a merely nominal sum. A motion rried that Miss Alice Robertson be corresponded with, submitting above proposition and asking her opinion. For tourists or any ing no claim upon the school the regular hotel price be asked n the school is made use of.

The secretaries would like us to consider the opening of school at Paul's Valley, Ind.Ter. in view of Ardmore being sed. Sixty pupils could be secured at once, and one teacher's ary only necessary; Miss Aughey residing there could be commis-ned. Motion carried approving this recommendation.

Mrs Norcross of Presbytery of Carlisle writes of the en-ing of a man to go among C.E.Societies in union with the For-n Board to present both lines of work. The Board are thinking the matter but have not come to a decision. Referred to con-ence with the secretaries.

Mrs Service of Michigan writes of the better presenting new work or plans at Presnyterial meetings rather than before odical Committees, as they meet oftener and they also handle the ls. Synodical Committees are rather to rouse enthusiasm.

Mrs Boyd and Mrs Honeyman to be a committee to confer this matter.

Miss Lincoln reported that Miss Stryker went to Hot ngs with the expectation that we shall defray her expenses; $60 come in for a salary in the Carolinas and this just meets the . Motion carried that the sum be so appropriated.

Miss Watt of St George, Utah, reports $2 for the Thanksgiv-Offering from Sunday Schools. But her expenses in lighting and ing the room is more than that amount; still she is anxious to urage the giving. Motion carried that we refund Miss Watt.

Mrs Lawrence of Asheville, N.C. is in need of many arti-Miss Lincoln suggests our asking the Board of Home Missions this building be fully equipped at once since the funds will y come in. Resolved to appeal to the School Committee to so . Meeting adjourned at 3 P.M.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee (Called) was held on ov 28th,1892. at ten o'clock,preceding the meeting of the New York resbyterial Society at Lenox Hall an hour later; present,Mrs James rs Roberts,Mrs Boyd,Mrs Sinclair,Mrs Honeyman,Miss Peck,Mrs Pierson. By invitation the officers of the Board held conference with e Committee.

The matter of a boat for the use of the girls at Sitka, laska,was discussed,with reference to the proposed appeals in ston by Mrs De Vore for such an object.

The proposition to buy property at Hot Springs,Alaska, r the purpose of a sanitarium for teachers and pupils,was referred for further investigation. It was suggested that Mrs De re should appeal for improvements at Sitka already approved and ch needed;the supply of iron bedsteads,mattrasses &c. The need a shed to be used as gymnasium or play room for the children s urged by Mrs James.

An application coming from Carlisle Presbytery presenting e desirability of securing a speaker to present mission work to E.Societies,to be paid jointly by Home and Foreign Boards. Dr berts explained the position occupied by Mr Grant of the Foreign ard with reference to the work among the C.E.Societies. He ought the Home Board should consider further the matter of engaging a man to reach these societies and would recommend such consideration.

Reassembled after Presbyterial meeting. A communication m Dr Cattell explained that the appropriation made to Mrs Blackn was in lieu of a home at Perth Amboy. It was thought desira- that a personal interview with Dr Cattell should be obtained, t the matter might be laid before him at length.

If a meeting of the ladies in Phila interested in the rary at Mt Pleasant can be arranged,in order to adjust that ter,Mrs James will go to Phila,and attend to both matters.

A letter from Dr Sheldon Jackson apprising us of his posed visit to New York on Dec 3rd to address a meeting in Brook- ,states that he will meet with the Executive Committee on the st Tuesday of the month,if the ladies so desire. Motion that Dr kson be invited to do so and Miss Burnett advertise the meeting fully as possible.

A letter from Dr Kirkwood presents the immediate need of rgan at Antonita. Motion carried that Mr Eaton be authorized end one at once.

Adjourned at 1.30 P.M.

ADDRESS BY DR SHELDON JACKSON.
Tuesday Dec 6th,1892.

Dr Jackson commenced by saying that the settlement in 877 all being in the S.E. section a meeting of the Board was held 1880 to discuss the advisability of stations in the more north-n districts inhabited by over 20,000 natives. Thiswas decided on as a necessity. The S.eastern district was unanimously given er to the Presbyterians;the Aleutian Islands had been possessed the Methodists;The Yukon river by the Episcopalians,while the ngregationalists have Behring's Straits. All these stations are om 200 to 800 miles apart which shows there is no over stepping one another's authority. No one claiming the region of the far rth,we have placed our last station at Point Barrow,15 o higher an the North Cape.

We have five organized churches in S.Eastern Alaska owing an aggregate of 700 church members. This is the result of n years labor,but we think it well compensates for any outlay in ose dark regions.

At Yakatak,at the base of Mt St Elias,the Swedes have es-lished two stations to help Americans in the salvation of this at country. It is a very successful station.

Another station is far above tje mouth of the Yukon. One l a year is all the northern half of Alaska has granted them, edtion one sixth as large as the whole of the Northern States. Government teachers up there have no supervision whatever and this reason the Government is only too glad to have our Chris n teachers placed over their schools,knowing that their high nciple keeps them from the irregularities of those sent outside pale of the church.

Dr Jackson said the seal was doomed and it was simply a stion of a few years when they would be quite annihilated. An rance has been found south of Behring's Straits and 100,000 ls were taken there last summer,so whichever way arbi tration ns it will not alter this fact.

The Methodist school at Unalaska is the most successful our own at Sitka of any in Alaska.

The Moravians have eight or ten preaching stations and work is done by them. The Roman Catholics have one or two ions,but not very successful work is done except at one point he Yukon River. The banks of the Yukon for hundred of miles, laces sometimes twenty miles wide,are low and uninteresting,so indeed that the land on either side is often overflowed for ndred miles back. But from a distance of 500 miles from the the banks become hilly and even mountainous. Some missionary have spent thirty winters north of the Arctic circle,one wo-aving made a trip of two or three hundred miles north of the c circle,and this for the love of souls. These facts are

ite unnoticed by the daily press, these heroic lives spent with-
t record, their only food being fish, year in and year out. One
ssionary family will consume 1600 fish in a year, piling them up
ke logs in a wood-house and thawing them out when needed for use.
e thermometer ranges from 30 to 70° below zero, the air blister-
g any portion of the flesh exposed to it. All this is endured
r love of Christ, no other incentive could induce men or women to
dure such sufferings. One missionary actually went crazy last
ar from exposure not only, but from the constant pleading of the
tives, day and night to tell them the gospel story. His mind gave
y under this terrible strain and he was carried back to England
hopeless maniac. On Behring's Strait where we had a school build
g holding only 50 there was an average attendance of 170, so they
re obliged to hold three or four sessions daily to take them all
. The same thing took place on Sunday the whole of the 500 na-
es in turn coming to hear the gospel.

Our missionary at Point Barrow had to come 70 miles south
t summer to meet the vessel bearing his mail and supplies which
uld proceed no further in the heavy ice. This missionary has
a medical education as well as theological training and his
luence over the natives on this account is very great. Prof
venson is still at this point in charge of the wrecked whalers
ed for by Government in a house stored with provisions for a
lve minth. He desires however to come back into the service of
Board after this year. Gave a sketch of his trip last summer
rting from Unalaska in June and sailing north touched at the
Islands and thence northward at St Matthew's Island where they
d one man in an almost starving condition having gone there for
purpose of trapping white bear, purported to inhabit that is-
. Thence to Cape Navarus on the Coast of Siberia hoping to
some reindeer. But finding none came eastwards to St Lawrence
nd, where there is a school station needing now to be taken up
ome denomination. The people are the same race on both sides
he straits, and intermarry. At another island they found the
le living on boiled seaweed and their sledge dogs. Had it not
for the assistance they gave them they could not possibly
subsisted through the winter - 200 in number. They tried to
at Point Prince of Wales, but found it impossible. Thence
nward to Point St Michael where he met a great many missionarie
rious denominations and he grew to have respect even for the
Catholic sisters, and shed tears at the recital of the suffer-
of these devoted people, especially the women, sacrificing all
hrist. His only wonder is that any of then retain their rea-

They finally succeeded in getting two loads of reindeer
two points in Siberia opposite Point Prince of Wales, the first
being landed on the 4th of July. The object in bringing over
eindeer is to keep the people from starving, and by giving the

ighter and more industrious of the young men small herds each care for, thus supplying them with an industry as well as with stenance. The area is large enough to domesticate five million indeer and these would sustain ove 100,000 inhabitants.

Northern Europe makes large use of reindeer hams and ngues and there is no reason why the United States should not do kewise and thus these reindeer farms become a source of income these people. The reindeer live chiefly on moss. An appeal is before Congress to enable them to make large purchases of rein er, those thus far obtained being from an appeal made two years to Christian friends, 2200 in all. The skins of the reindeer o are the clothing of the people. Not a thread of cotton or l can be found there. Their houses are also covered with the ns, their utensils made from the horns, and their only means of ft carriage is this same useful animal - the dogs serving but rly in comparison.

In closing, Dr Jackson begged all present to pray most nestly for these workers in Alaska.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Dec. 6th., 1892.

Dr Jackson addressed the Committee.
Reports from various Committees.
Zuni,N.M. Miss Dissette asks for spinning wheel.
Utah correspondence progressing.
Hungerford Academy,Utah,dining hall approved. should be pushed
Result of interview with two ladies for office work
Mrs Elliott Shepard send 100 copies of Mrs Willard's book for sale.
Zanesville,Ohio. Mrs Derry interested in Zuni work.
Winfield,Kansas desires help for its poor children.
Scholarships for Los Angeles,Cali.

Springville,Utah. Library to be continued by Phila ladies.
Mrs Blackburn can be received at Perth Amboy,N.J. home
Letter read to be sent to S.S.Army.
Mrs Hill desires ear of corn to present a kernel to children of Lafayette church Brooklyn,N.Y.
Letter to S.schools proposed to send through societies.
Mr Baer,general Sec. of C.E.Societies asks for special objects
Very desirous of securing the interest of all C.E.Socs.
Miss Rogers proposed as synodical visitor through New York.
Directions asked for the sending out calendars
Recommendation of School Committee regarding
Exhibit of work at World's Fair
Purchase of parsonage at Sisseton,So.Dakota
Hospital at Sitka,Alaska for both boys and girls
Appropriation for material for making curios
Teacher in wood carving
appropriation to purchase for wood for same
Heating of Santa Fe,N.M.
Purchase of furniture at El Rito,N.M.
Desks for Richfield,Utah
Assistant teacher at Benjamin,Utah
Repairs at Payson,Utah
Vouchers from matron of Girl's Home,Salt Lake City Utah
Old Dwight,Ind.Ter resignation of Mr and Mrs Johnson
Purchase of parsonage at Sisseton,So.Dakota.
Investigation of expenses at Pelican Lake,Minn
Vote of thanks sent to Mr Pease
Work on farm be discontinued at Asheville,N.C.
Repairs on old barn ay Concord,N.C. referred
Fence for Elm Spring,INd.Ter. ordered.

Santa Fe,N.M. Miss Allison reconsiders resignation.
Lehigh,Ind.Ter. Miss Miller desires increase of salary.
Concord,N.C. Miss Carpenter hopes to retain her position,although married.
Manti,Utah. Miss Mc Cartney wishes to resign.
Asheville,N.C. Sickness in the school.
Mrs Davis reports large collections through Ohio.
Letter of sympathy to be written Asheville Ind. on account of sickness.

Business meeting of the Woman's Executive Committee fol-
owed Dr Jackson's interesting remarks on Alaska, at 12 o'clock,
uesday, Dec 6th. 1892. About 25 ladies remained of the full room
ho listened to Dr Jackson.

Minutes of the last meeting of Ways and Means Committee
ead and approved as well asthose of called meeting the following
eek.

Mrs James called for reports from various committees and
rom the Mexican field, herself read, on the part of her daughter, an
nteresting letter from Mr Whitlock a native missionary in that
ountry. He tells of many good fields where he hopes schools may
oon be established. A private letter told of sore personal needs
is salary having been six months in arrears. Mrs James was happy
o report that some needed articles were sent him.

Mrs Pierson reported a letter from Miss Dissette of Zuni,
M. asking for a spinning wheel to teach the Indian women. She
ries to reach and educate them in all possible ways. Motion car-
ed that she be allowed to obtain the wheel. The children unable
buy the Sunday school Army certificates brought in ears of corn
ping thus to obtain them. It was suggested that these ears might
sent East and sold for ten cents each.

Mrs Honeyman reported the correspondence with Utah as
ogressive and important facts constantly elicited.

The Board having approved the building of the dining hall
Hungerford Academy, Utah, it is necessary for us to push this mat-
r. Mrs Finks stated that she saw the necessity for this last sum-
r herself, the two buildings as they are now being very far apart,
d the pupils going for all their meals quite a distance. We have
ndsome property about our building and on this additional build-
g should be put up. A motion carried approving this decision.

Mrs Sinclair reported from the Committee on securing help
r the office that the two ladies suggested had been seen and gave
results of the interviews. Mrs Sinclair was asked to confer
h the secretaries of the Executive Committee on the subject.

Mrs Elliott Shepard sends one hundred copies of Mrs Wil-
d's new book for our acceptance. A motion conveying a vote of
nks to Mrs Shepard for her generous gift was carried. As to pre-
ting the books to the ladies in the office and one also to Miss
sons of Woman's Work for Women, a motion carried that the workers
the office be allowed to purchase the volumes at publisher's
uced rates, and that one volume be retained in the office. Miss
proposed purchasing one to be presented to Miss Parsons from
office.

Mrs Derry of Zanesville, Ohio, is much interested in Miss
Bride also of Zanesville and who is now an assistant to Miss Dis-
te. She reports that her salary can be raised to $500 in her
bytery.

A lady from Winfield,Kansas,writes that a poor destitute opulation is crowding in upon them,and the people are utterly una-le to meet their wants. They would be grateful for any kind of lothing,especially for children from 9 to 14 years of age. Motion arried that those present carry this intelligence to their socie-ies as many churches would be able to send out packages of second nd clothing. As they are in need of food as well as clothing,a otion was carried that further correspondence be held with the riter and a suggestion be made to her that she send an appeal to e secular New York papers,Mail and Express and Tribune.

The California ladies having desired our promise of schol-ships in the school at Los Angeles,the matter was laid before the hool Committee and they do not look favorably upon it. But as we ink they do not understand that Miss Eaton has more scholarships an she has the demand for,the case will be presented to them ain and their reconsideration urged.

A letter has been received from the Phila. ladies stating ey preferred,after due deliberation,to continue the library at ringville,Utah,keeping Miss Fishback there as librarian.

Dr Cattell has written that the committee has decided at Mrs Blackburn can be received in the home at Perth Amboy.Much tisfaction is felt at this decision.

Mrs Pierson read the letter to be sent to all the members the Sunday school Army on receipt of their subscription. While anking them for their remittances the letter conveys much infor-tion and promises more from time to time.

Mrs Hill asked for an ear of corn that she might offer kernels to the children of the Lafayette church as an object son.

Several of the ladies reporting that they had heard noth-of this letter to Sunday schools through their superintendents, opinion was expressed that if they were appealed to through presidents of the church societies ,the result would be more isfactory.

A letter was received from Mr Baer,general secretary of Societies of Christian Endeavor,asking that special objects be sented to them as well as special days for their collection.

Mrs Miller having attended the general convention in Indi-of these societies, was much impressed with the importance of isting them in our cause. $500 was the result of an appeal to Indiana societies numbering only 216 in all.

Mrs Miller proposed corresponding with the presidents of odical societies in each state,asking them for the number of or members in all C.E.Societies.

Mrs Amerman read letter from Mrs Gallup proposing Miss rs as synodical visitor through New York State at a salary of to come out of synodical fund for that purpose. A quorum of dical committee being present a motion was carried approving appointment .

Meeting adjourned at 1.30 P.M. for luncheon.

Mrs Pierson asked directions for sending out the calendar l it was ordered that every presbyterial secretary have one sent with the wish expressed that she press it upon her society. As teachers were supplied with the one last year it was decided t a note be put in H.M.Monthly for the benefit of the teachers, t as a fund had been raised last year for the purpose the price s year would doubtless be so moderate as to enable many to order themselves.

Recommendations of the School Committee.

That we have an exhibit of school work at the World's Fair. Roberts reported having been requested to correspond with the per authorities, that she had heard from various quarters and general opinion prevailed that our exhibit sould be held in con- tion with the Board of Home Missions. The committee assigned this matter will decide what our exhibit shall consist of.

THAT we purchase the parsonage at Sisseton, So.Dakota, ued at $750.

THAT we use the hospital at Sitka, Alaska for both boys girls by having them on different floors, and putting up an L the cost of $425. together with the alterations. Mrs Boyd was uested to examine and report at the next meeting as these chan- are new to the Committee. The girl s'hospital will be used for er purposes not yer decided upon.

THAT $200 be appropriated for material for the pupils use in making curios for sale to tourists.

THAT a teacher be found to teach wood-carving etc., the ary being already pledged.

RESOLVED to appropriate $50 for the purchase of material n which to start the carving of wood, an increase to be made when eacher shall be found. A discussion was held as to the engag- g of a lady physician and it was decided to confer with the sec aries, and later with Mrs Shepard.

THAT the matter of the heating of Santa Fa, N.M. be ref- d to the officers of the Board with power. Motion carried ap- ving this action.

THAT, the purchase of the furniture at El Rito N.M. be ordered ion carried approving this action.

THAT the requisition of six desks at Richfield, Utah, be red. Motion concurring was carried.

THAT the requisition for an assistant teacher at Benjamin, ordered. Motion carried acquiescing.

THAT the requisition for the repairs at Payson, Utah be red. Motion carried acquiescing.

THAT the matron of the Girls' Home at Salt Lake City, Utah sked to send vouchers as well as her quarterly report. Motion ied acquiescing.

THAT, the resignation of Mr and Mrs Johnson at Old Dwight ccepted but that he be requested to remain till the end of the 3

ar. Motion carried acquiescing.

THAT we purchase the Parsonage of Rev Mr Adams of Sisse-
n. So.Dak. Motion in the affirmative.

THAT, any additional expense asked for at Pelican Lake,
nn. shall be investigated. Motion in the affirmative.

THAT a vote of thanks be sent to Mr Pease for his assist-
nce in putting up the buildings at Asheville, N.C. Concurred in by
rising and hearty vote.

THAT word be sent to Asheville that work be discontinued
the farm. Motion carried acquiescing.

THAT the question of repairs on the old barn at Concord, N.C.
referred to the officers of the Board with power. Motion car-
ed of approval.

THAT, the requisition for a fence at Elm Spring be or-
red. Motion carried acquiesing in the decision.

Mrs Miller reported having received a letter from Miss
ison reconsidering her resignation and agreeing to continue in
service of the Committee.

Miss Annie R. Miller who is asked to assist in the charge
a day school in Lehigh, Ind. Ter., asks for an advance of salary
enable her to pay her board the first quarter. Motion carried
dering this payment.

Mrs Miller has written to Miss Carpenter at Concord, re-
ding her marriage. She answers that it is true, but that she
es to be allowed to retain her position. Mrs Miller has talked
the gentlemen in the office and on the whole they advise no
ion taken for the present as the new building will be ready next
and the work reorganized.

Miss Mc Cartney of Manti, Utah worked at Scipio for three
rs, and writes that she cannot succeed with primary department,
cannot get along with Miss Wiles. She wishes to resign at Chris-
time and retire from the work. Motion carried that her resigna-
will be accepted conditionally and Dr. Wishard be corresponded
.

Miss Stephenson writes that they have had several cases
yphoid fever in the Industrial School at Asheville, N.C., one
he pupils having died happily a Christian girl. They trace it
he feeding of the cows near an open drain and hope the cause
be speedily removed.

Mrs Davis reports large collections all through Ohio,
expenses being more than covered. Motion carried that in case
peakers going out from the office, a formula be put in their
of the presiding officer as a gentle reminder to take a col-
on or in some way to defray her expenses as well as the $5
er address, making exception in certain cases where our judg-
shall conclude otherwise.

Expression of sympathy to be sent to Asheville Ind. in

heir trouble with typhoid fever.

Matter of Miss Bronson referred.

Adjorned at 4 P.M.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.
Dec 13th.,1892.

Interest in editorial in H.M.M. Alaskan number.
Letter from Howcan,Alaska

Hoopa Indians. Miss Partridge of Cali. writes regarding them
Hot Springs,N.C. Dr.Dorland ready to turn over property.
Mrs Thaw of Pittsburg,Pa and amount promised for Boy's school at Asheville,N.C.
St George,Utah. Two teachers not needed here.
Mrs Blackburn to receive aid from Board of Ministerial Relief
Method of work in Central church.
Mrs Walker sends encouraging report
Mrs Roberts reports that Illinois has pledged more than the usual amount.
Stationery for office discussed.
Topic assigned for prayer meetings in schools
Collection from Christian Endeavor Societies
Objects for C.E.Societies.
Miss Wishard of Indiana to be secured for C.E. work in office
Kodak sent to Mr.Menaul
Publication Committee to attend to reading proff of leaflets
Miss Brandt of Indian Territory asks to be sent to some other point.
Tahlequah,Ind.Ter. Assistant in place of Miss Loeb.
Margaret Louisa Home as a place where workers can be entertained
Santa Fe,N.M. Flue not put in new building.
Mr Fink's expenses to Alaska to be paid by Committee.
Conference with secretaries.
    Hoopa Indians considered
    Omaha Agency,Neb., "
    Mrs Thaw's proposition of $5000
St George,Utah. Missionary.
Santa Fe,N.M. Omission of flue in hospital building
Question of another helper in the office working up C.E.Soc.
Increase of Mr Fink's salary.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee Dec. 13th,1892.Pres-
t Mrs James,Mrs Finks,Mrs Roberts,Miss peck,Mrs St itt (Phila)
ss Haines,Mrs Pierson,Mrs Parsons,Mrs Wilder and Mrs Brownell.

Mrs Pierson reported the interest expressed in the Alaska
itorial in the H.M.Monthly,as shown by the correspondence,and
e general good resulting from the visit of the Woman's Executive
mmittee,representatives to the Schools in Alaska,calling atten-
on to the fact that all those representatives went at their own
pense.

Mrs James read an interesting letter from Mr Gould of
wcan,Alaska.

Miss Peck also read letter from Miss Kelsey reporting a
luable box of clothing for the girls for which they were very
ankful. They had had a narrow escape from fire by the exploding
a lamp.

Miss Partridge of California writes regarding the Hoopa
dians. The Board are considering the opening of a school,but
e not yet given their decision. Mrs James thinks undoubtedly
h a school would soon be supported by themselves. The women of
synod say they have the old government buildings and could,
y think,secure funds without interfering with regular work.
ed and seconded that a conference with the secretaries be held
the subject. The Board refer to us the state of things at the
ha Agency,Neb. where Mr and Mrs Morris now are stationed. Mrs
es thinks we are not yet prepared to put up buildings for this
ple but would favor rather missionary work among them. The prop-
tion from the synodical missionary is to put up a building cost-
$7000. The location recommended is at Flournoy. Motion carried
conference with the secretaries.

Dr Dorland at Hot Springs,N.C. is now ready to turn the
perty over to us. Mrs Miller stopped there last summer and
s it is a lovely spot at the foot of the mountains. The proposi-
n of Dr Dorland involves the carrying on of the school. Mrs
ks made motion that we withdraw our former motion and accept the
perty offered by Dr Dorland.

Mrs Thaw writes of the $5000 she had promised the Boys'
ustrial School at Asheville,and the Industrial Department at
hington College,Tenn., that it was on the condition that these
ildings always be maintained by the Presbyterian church under
Board of Home Missions. Mrs James referred the answer of this
ter to Dr Roberts.

Dr Wishard writes of St George,Utah,where we have two
chers because of our desire not to send one alone,that two teach-
are not needed there,but one teacher and a missionary would do
er work. He says the economy of our work there is bad. We need
apel as the accommodations are very poor,and good work ought
e done at this important point. Referred to conference with the

ecretaries as it would involve larger outlay.

Mrs Blackburn prefers to take the provision provided for er by the Board of Ministerial Relief rather than accept the proposition to enter the Home at Perth Amboy,N.J. Motion carried that e allow Mrs Blackburn the $35 given her for traveling expenses ubject to the approval of the School Committee.

Mrs Moses having sent card and paper showing the method f work as carried on in the Central Presbyterian church thinking hey may serve as suggestions to other societies. Resolved to eave them in the office to show visitors.

Mrs Walker has done good service for three months in Neb. olo. and New Mexico,and sends a most encouraging report.

Mrs Roberts reported from Illinois that the ladies of hat State had pledged themselves over and above their usual work or $2000 for work among the Hydahs. Owing to the many demands upon heir time and means at present in Chicago they write regarding Mrs Vore visiting them that they do not feel as though they could ay her traveling expenses. Mrs James thought the ladies might written to that if collections are taken at every meeting there uld be no difficulty in covering traveling expenses.

The stationery used in the office was passed upon and e decision was arrived at that we order both ruled and unruled; the ality to be a better paper , the same quality as that used by the ard of Home Missions; the color left to a committee to decide. ss Haines and Mrs parsons to be the committee.

Mrs Parsons read a letter from Miss Goodrich which expessed the desire of Miss Stephenson as well as herself, to have a pic assigned for the teachers' weekly meetings as they think it ll he a pleasant as well as helpful method for the teachers. She ports Miss Marsden a very pleasant helper on her field. A printlist of topics has been promised by one of our members and it ll be asked for to be presented to the Publication Committee, who ll send it to Miss Stephenson for her approval or arrangement.

The calendar will be here in numbers after Wednesday.

Conference has been held with the Board of Home Missions regard to the day of the collection from Christian Endeavor Soties, General Assembly having recommended that the collection on ir Anniversary day be given to the Board of Home Missions.

The three objects decided upon to be sent to Christian eavor Societies are the assistance in the support of evangelists ng the exceptional population; the Boys' Industrial School in eville, and the Industrial School Department in Washington Cole, Tenn. As to the correspondence at present with the societies was left to a committee of the secretaries and Miss Lincoln h Miss Eaton to decide.

Miss Wishard of Indiana, cousin of Dr Wishard of Utah, has ited the office and made a most pleasant impression. It was sug-

sted at once that she would ably fill the position needed now to list societies of Christian Endeavor in Home Mission work, and uld she be secured in the office would help in other lines most ceptably. A motion was carried that correspondence be held with dies in Indiana as to her capabilities and character with the ew of calling her to fill this post.

The Kodak presented to the Committee some time ago has en examined and put in good order by Mr. Finks and on suggestion at it be sent to Mr. Menaul, a motion was carried that it be so sposed of, with thanks to Mr. Finks.

Mrs Finks stated that the proof reading of the leaflets ving always been left to her, she is of the opinion that the Pub- ation Committee is now strong enough to attend to this part of e work so relieving her to do other work more valuable to the Com- ttee. Motion carried so ordering it.

In Indian Territory, Miss Brandt who has been transferred om Las Vegas to Muskogee, asks to be sent to some other point ow- to a lameness rendered worse by the distance between the build- gs. A young girl is now suggested to assist her at the rate of for the remainder of the year.

Miss Atwater, Tahlequah, Ind. Ter. needing an assistant in ce of Miss Loeb, a Miss Corbett has been approved by the Board will be ready at once to fill the place. Miss Atwater asks for ve of absence of two weeks as soon as her assistant arrives. Mo- n carried approving the appointment of Miss Corbett and grant- Miss Atwater the two weeks leave of absence, providing her work l be cared for in her absence.

A motion was carried that when our workers are obliged to ain in the city over night and no member of the Committee on pitality ready to entertain them, they be provided for by us at Margaret Louisa Home.

Mrs Sinclair stated that Miss Allison writes that Mr. Me- in order to lessen expenses, omitted putting a flue in the hos- al where it was a necessity. To put it in now will cost $8. A for ventilation is also needed in one of the dormitories. Mrs lair thought Mr Menaul might be instructed by the Board to make hanges in the plans of buildings for the sake of lessening ex- es, without consultation as it increases expense in the end. on carried that a telegram be sent at once to Santa Fe to have e matters rectified.

Motion carried that Mr Fink's expenses to Alaska last sum- be paid by the Committee.

Meeting adjourned for lunch at a quarter of two o'clock. erence with the secretaries at 2.30 P.M.

First point; the work among the Hoopa Indians, as to the of the Government buildings and undertaking of the school. Ad- d to await the reply from the Synodical meeting, also to ascer-

in whether we could retain the Government buildings permanently. s James stated the position we still hold in relation to the vernment was to be considered. The Congregationalists have com- etely severed their relation, the Episcopalians and others, while by not doing it to any great extent open ourselves to severe iticism. Dr. Roberts replied that we were simply fulfilling con- acts with Government already existing, but are moving in the right rection steadily.

The second point, the Omaha Agency. Mrs James said we not inclined to undertake large work among the Indians owing the severance of our relations with Government, and the convic- n that the Indians would be well cared for by the Government. Boyd stated that this work had been turned over to us by the eign Board and all we now have are two schools, four miles apart a dilapidated building. The proposition is to move our princi- building to the new point Flouronoy $2500 being already in hand it. This is our only work among the Omahas and Winnebagos. ut $2500 is the Gov't appropriation. Advised to secure the opin- of Gen. Morgan which Dr Roberts can obtain for us before taking steps.

Third point. Mrs Thaw's proposition of her $5000. When ed if we could promise that the management of the Boys' Indus- al School and the Industrial Department in Washington College, n. should be under no control but our own, and under "no other uence direct or indirect" to quote from Mrs Thaw's words, Mrs s replied that we had no idea of any other control over these titutions but our own, and begged Dr Roberts to reply in that to Mrs Thaw. Dr Roberts further said that he felt in view of living source of help coming in to us from the Christian Endeav- ocieties, we need not accept Mrs Thaw's five or even ten thous- when to do it we must bind ourselves by any such pledges as demands, for the other source will live on long after Mrs Thaw n her grave. Motion carried approving this expression of Dr rts as the sentiment of the Executive committee.

As the money needed for Washington College is all expec- to come in, Mrs Thaw's money for that point is not needed.

Fourth point. As to St George, Utah. Mr. Boyd stated that ill not be called upon for a missionary at that point till t the first of May, at that time the Board may look to us for support in place of a teacher as he will do teaching as well as ching.

Fifth point. Mr Menaul's omission in the hospital at a Fe, N.M. Dr Roberts excused on the ground of his desire to omize, but said he could be telegraphed to at once to put in necessary flues before it is too late. He is convinced that Mr l is a good builder.

Mrs James asked the advice as to the engaging of another r in the office to take this department, working in societies

Christian Endeavor, the work promising to be of such dimensions to necessitate this. No objection was made, only a plea that l this expected revenue might some of it be turned into the treas- y of the Board.

Mrs James then asked as to increase of Mr.Fink's salary, s lectures bringing in nearly $1000 a year clear of expenses. e secretaries proposed time for deliberation and said other mat- rs also would have to go regularly before the Board. Mrs James ded that we had pledged ourselves to add $200 to Mr.Fink's sala- and would be glad to have the Board add $300 more making it 500 in all.

Meeting adjourned at 3.30 P.M.

WOMAN'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Dec. 20th., 1892.

Letter from Rev. Mr. Whitlock.
Mrs C.B.Walker gave an account of trip thro' California.
Miss Strong ,city missionary among the Spanish,gave account of her work.

Treasurer's report
Concord,N.C. Heating of building
Sending the calendars to teachers
Express companies send sometimes at half rates
Minutes to be copied day following meeting.
Wood carver for Sitka,Alaska
Teacher in Hampton,former,it is thought will talk with ue.
Day for prayer fixed as Jan 6th,1893.
Regarding money from sale of Mrs Willard's book.
Wartburg,Tenn. Hymn books greatly needed
Notice of our monthly prayer meeting to be in religious papers
Sitka,Alaska,alterations in hospital.
Lehigh,Ind.Ter. Miss Miller returns home. Miss Wilkins althoug uncomfortably housed will stay.
Concurrence in the retiring of Dr.Hill.
Ardmore,Ind.Ter. Payment for six weeks work by Miss Crockett.
Tucson,Arizona. Salary of farmer.
Muskogee,Ind.Ter. Miss Selfridge wishes to retire.
Parowan,Utah. Miss Nelson in charge of school
Gunnison,Utah, Miss Green to be paid $25 a month while East.
Meeting for C.E.Societies in Lenox Hall.
Miss Eaton to go to C.E.Society meeting at Montreal,Canada.
Miss Rue to go to Washington to take charge of leaflets.
Mrs Gallup requests services of Mrs De Vore for about a month
Miss Alice Robertson to address societies as heretofore
Money given for Dr.Paul to be paid to the Board for Dr Thwing
Two letters read and approved. For C.E.Societies
Miss Lincoln to take entire charge of cash until end of year, and see that receipts are ack.early

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday, Dec. 0th at 11.30 A.M. preceded by the regular monthly prayer meeting ed by Mrs W.C.Roberts who followed the topic for the month in a ery able manner. Present about 25 ladies.

An interesting letter was read from Rev. Mr. Whitlock na- ive missionary to New Mexico. Mrs C.B.Walker gave an account of er recent trip through California which she called the weak and ungest child of the Committee, but the one so interesting and romising that she could hardly do it justice in a few minutes lk. Told of the good work done by Miss Boone who gives all her me to missionary labors; also spoke of the good results from the sits of Mrs Walker of Colo through the state. Mrs Walker thought state in the Union had made greater advancement in interest and money contributed than California.

Miss Strong formerly a teacher in New Mexico, now engaged the Spanish work in this city called attention to the great ange wrought in New Mexico during the few years of Christian la- r there, hundreds now receiving the Gospel gladly, while at the art the missionary workers had fairly to fight their way against e fierce opposition. Told of the growth also of the work among e Spanish population of this city, so discouraging for the first o years that it was with difficulty she kept up heart and courage persevere in it. At one time Mrs Shedd and Mrs James were her ly sympathizers and supporters. Great results are now beginning show themselves but it has been from house to house visitation nistering to their physical needs that this has been slowly ought about.

Regular business meeting followed the prayer meeting at M. Minutes of last meeting as well as those of Committee of s and Means read and approved.

Miss Lincoln reported that donations for boy's school Asheville, N.C. have come in to the amount of $1000 from various rces, $3500 from New York Synod, $2000 from New Jersey, $5000 just been given by one New York lady provided the whole be soon sed, and Mrs Sinclair reported $1000 or more on same conditions. s swells the amount to $18,500 of the $20,000 required for the ect. If Mrs Thaw sends her $5000 this will more than cover it. s Lincoln reported thus far receiptes for Home Missions $123,236

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Meeting adjourned for luncheon.

Mrs James stated that some of the Express companies send ckages at half rates and thought that they should be ascertained d the list published in the Home Mission Monthly for the infor- tion of societies.

The copying of the minutes of the meetings by Mrs Baker r the purpose of sending them out to Synodical societies was or- red for the day following the meeting, but on reconsideration, a tion was carried that the time be fixed for the week after the eting instead of limiting it to one day.

Mrs Wickham read a reply from the Cinn. school of art re- rding a wood carver for Sitka. It mentioned a young lady whom y thought was well qualified to undertake the position and recom- nded her highly. Correspondence will be held at once with a de- re to learn as to her religious character as well as acquirements.

Mrs Miller mentioned a young lady living in Newbergh who been a teacher in the Hampton school and who she thought would e to meet with us and talk of the methods of work pursued there. Miller was requested to ask this lady to meet with us the next yer meeting.

Motion made that we fix a day in the first week in Jan., day for Home Missions - at 10.30 in the morning - the 6th of . to hold a meeting for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our d; the notices to be sent to sister societies, as well as to the churches as usual, to be given out for the purpose. Mrs es thought the time could be divided into three parts to be in hands of the members of three different denominations, who d associate with themselves three others of still other denomi- ions so as to have a representative meeting. Miss Burnet to charge of the correspondence.

Mrs Pierson asked as to the money obtained by the sale of Willard's book. It was voted that it should be put into the let fund.

Our teacher at Wartburg, Tenn. writes the Board for old books which they need greatly. Motion carried that this ap-

eal be put in Home Mission Monthly, the Interior and the Observer. iss Burnet will have this matter in hand.

Motion carried that a notice of our monthly prayer meet-ngs be published in the Observor and Evangelist regularly, to be aid for if necessary.

As to the alterations in the hospital at Sitka, Alaska. rs Miller reported that the secretaries have found that it would st more to move the old building than to put up the new. A mo-ion was therefore carried expressing our approval of the recommen-itions of the School Committee. Mrs Miller reported that three rkers were about decided upon to sail of the 7th of Jan. for Sit-, a sewing teacher, a high school teacher and a general assistant.

We are having some trouble at Lehigh, Ind.Ter. Miss Wil-ns has had an assistant in a Miss Miller who writes that Miss lkins has had a most uncomfortable home, renting a small shed at e time and now a small room in the rear of a ----------, and to ep up with her lessons she had studied till 2 o'clock in the morn-g. Miss Miller was so discouraged by the situation that she re-rned home immediately. Miss Wilkins, on the other hand, consents stay till after Christmas to make a happy time for the 68 chil-em. Then she would like to have a holiday only to return with assistant. The secretaries advise the renting of the buildings the consent of the donor can be obtained, and the matter brought at the Spring conference as to its maintenance in the future. rigid investigation of this field was decided upon, and the mind Mrs Watson be obtained as to disposition of the property before can arrive at a decision.

A motion carried that we concur with the action of Synod their retiring of Dr.Hill and ask the Board of Home Missions to ten the securing of his successor, so that the change may take ce by Dec. 31st.

Miss Crockett who helped Miss Aughey at Ardmore Ind.Ter. six weeks, wishes her payment for that time.

At Tucson, Arizona, the farmer has been receiving $500. No icient man can be now found under $700. A motion carried that same salary be granted that we give to similar workers on other ts of the field.

Miss Selfridge who has been teaching the primary depart-t at Muskogee, Ind.Ter. desires to retire from the work from a viction of her inability to fill the post. Mrs Miller thinks have applicants enough to supply the place in the advanced de-ment without difficulty, and Miss Baker already there will be ing to take the primary department.

Miss Margaret Nelson has been placed in the school at wan, Utah, and is said to be a young woman of very spiritual char-r. She will take the place wished for for one of the Taylor ers, who will now remain together. The latter will be written

o as to their revenue from giving music lessons, that it is not the abit of the Committee to encourage the teaching of music to this nd.

Motion made and seconded that Miss Green of Gunnison, tah be paid $25 per month while East.

Meeting arranged for C.E.Societies in New York at Lenox all, Tuesday, Jan 17th, to consider the desirability of pushing our ork in its own channels. Motion made that Mrs Miller present the ork at that meeting, also that Miss Linceln and Miss Eaton be asked o go as delegates.

That Miss Eaton go to Christian Endeavor Society at Mon-eal. Motion made that Miss Eaton be that delagate.

Motion made that Miss Rue go to Washington to attend nual Meeting to take charge of leaflets.

Mrs Gallup makes request for Miss De Vore during the lat-r part of Feb. till April.

Motion made that Miss Alice Robertson be employed to ad-ess societies as heretofore. On motion decided that the $150 ft of money given for Dr.Paul be paid to the Board for Dr.Thwing. motion decided that we pay every other month the gas bill, the reign Board use very little gas.

Mrs Pierson read the two letters provided for the C.E. cieties. Approved.

On motion decided that until the end of the fiscal year ss Lincoln take the entire charge of the cash and to see that the ceipts are acknowledged within three days.

Meeting adjourned at 4.10 P.M.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.
Dec. 27th., 1892.

Los Angeles,Cali. School Committee granted scholarships
Miss Burdette of Chicago,regarding their missionary society joining National Council of Women.
Difficult to secure workers for Alaska
Lehigh,Ind.Ter.repairs. Thought best not to continue work
Dr Hill's successor to be appointed by April 1st.
Certificates of stock for Asheville,N.C.
Hyrum,Utah. School overflowing,assistant needed
Sitka,Alaska. Mrs Shields depressed in spirits.
Proposed that the ladies of Foreign Board be invited to be present at prayer meeting on Friday next.
Anadarko,Ind.Ter. Building ready.
Mrs Walker's traveling expenses in her own synod only to be paid.
Request that Mrs Davis go through Tennessee and Kentucky.
Mrs Pratt talks over the Boy's School at Asheville,N.C.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee on Tuesday, Dec. 27th at 10.30 A.M. Present Mrs James, Mrs Finks, Mrs Miller, Miss Peck, Mrs Pierson, Miss Lincoln, Mrs Sinclair and Mrs Brownell.

Meeting opened by reading of Scripture and prayer by Mrs James.

Mrs Pierson reported that the School Committee has granted the scholarships at Los Angeles, Cali. and stated receiving a letter from Mrs Forsyth regarding this, and also made mention of the need of a sewing machine which she hopes we may be able to send them. Motion carried that an appeal be made for the machine. Mrs Stevens the assistant teacher, she reports, is a very capable woman, and she was secured just as she was about to offer herself to the foreign field. She asks that she may be called superintendent of the Home Department rather than matron as at present.

Miss Burdette of Chicago writes regarding their missionary society joining the National Council of Women to be held at the World's Fair, that the Council is composed largely of women holding peculiar views on religious as well as on social topics, and consequently they ask our advice as to a connection with them. She says should enough societies be represented of another character and of decided religious nature, the influence of such might make itself felt for good.

Mrs James answer was that a reply should be sent them that we have not as yet thought it wise to connect ourselves with their council as their aims are not in line with ours and the character of their work quite different. Mrs Finks thought it might be well to secure some of their circulars and literature setting forth their aims, to the end that we may have a thorough knowledge of the character of the council before giving our answer.

Mrs Miller reported that correspondence had been held with five persons with view to going to Alaska without any success. Various suggestions were made as to securing these workers.

$2000 had been applied to repairs at Lehigh Ind. Ter. Some of the secretaries are opposed to continuing the school there, but if we do go on with it, the two teachers' rooms should be furnished and another teacher sent to fill Miss Miller's place. The school numbers over sixty pupils. Dr Roberts in consultation is in favor of furnishing the two rooms. He also favored the demand for tuition as far as we can get it. Also that it would be advisable to continue the school till the end of the year.

Dr. Hill has been written to that his successor will be appointed by April 1st. Motion carried that we furnish the rooms as advised by Dr. Roberts. The teacher has been allowed.

Miss Eaton came in to speak of the Boy's Industrial School at Asheville, N.C. as Mrs Pratt has come to inquire about certificates of stock. $10,000 will purchase the plant as it now stands, and $20,000 will be needed to complete the whole.

early this whole amount is pledged. Dr Roberts was called in in onsultation and saw no objection to $10,000 being asked for cerificates of stock to be used in furnishing and equipments. He hought the Board could be asked to make this appropriation of 10,000. Dr.Roberts is in correspondence with Mrs Thaw and in a ew days will have her answer. Motion carried that we appeal to he Board this afternoon, to make an appropriation of $10,000 for he furnishing and equipment of the Boy's Industrial School, and o grant $50 to be appropriated for the furnishing of the rooms nd as much more as shall be needed.

At Hyrum Miss Noble's school is overflowing and she must ave another teacher. Mrs Norman only four miles away would be willng to assist for the four months required. Motion carried that we pprove the appointment of Mrs Norman for the four months.

Miss Kelsey writes from Sitka that Mrs Shields is in a ry depressed condition and she almost fears for her mind since e loss of her son.

Mrs James proposed that the ladies Board of Foreign Misons be invited to be present at our meeting of prayer for the tpouring of the Holy Spirit next Friday and Mrs Beers be asked sit beside Mrs James.

Mrs Hume of Indian Territory writes that the Mission hool at Anadarko, Ind.Ter. is ready for occupancy and it remains be seen if scholars will appear. She also wishes the Woman's ecutive Committee could enter Oklahoma.

With regard to Mrs Charles Walker's expenses in working her own synod of Colorado, a motion was carried that her travelg expenses only will be covered by us, and not her time when in r own synod. Mrs Hume is anxious to have her go through Indian rritory and Missouri is also needing her. For this latter state o months, or six weeks possibly, was suggested beginning the mide of January and March for Indian Territory, where she will be ked to visit our schools as well so as to work up interest geneily.

Mrs Francis, who is interested in Scotia, writes asking t Mrs Davis be asked to go through Tennessee and Kentucky, and Committee approve the suggestion. Her traveling expenses ld probably be covered by the collections. Motion carried that Davis be allowed to go to Asheville.

Mrs Pratt came in to talk over the Asheville Boys School. issuing of the stock up to $10,000 was explained. The case of a ish father asking for his eldest girl a place in the Asheville ool was laid before us by Mrs Pratt. Miss Stephenson favoring ing the girl, when a vacancy should permit, a motion was carried t we allow a scholarship to be assigned her.

Meeting adjourned at 1 P.M.

Jan 3rd, 1893.

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   Miss Robertson, gave account of visiting societies
2. Letter from Miss De Sette, Zuni, N.M. Outbreak among Indians
   Lloyd's Creek, Tenn greatly needs a school.
   Local Union - Christian Endeavor.
3. Secretary needed to take entire charge of C.E. work
4. Assistant needed at American Fork, Utah
   Lehigh, Ind Ter
   Speakers expenses.
5. Excellent work in Nebraska
   Children's Magazine.
   Report of Building Committee. Concord, N.C.
   Report of Publication Committee.
   Calendars to teachers.
6. Committee on Hospitality.
   Mrs Thatcher. Brooklyn on Advisory Committee.
   Receipts for Dec. larger than last year.
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Letter from Mr Quintano of Embudo, N.M.
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Miss Mc Ginty recommends Miss Stalker for our work
Report of Indian matters
3. Matters in Asheville, N.C.
Appeal for dining hall at Springville, Utah
Iron bedsteads for Hydah, Alaska
Miss Skinner for Sitka
Insurance of Sitka supplies
4. Supplies for Las Vegas, N.M. granted
Sale of portion of lot at Mt Pleasant, Utah
Deed of property at Hot Springs, N.C.
Purchase of Boys School at Asheville, N.C.
Special objects. Presbyterial or Synodical meetings
5. Interview Dr Robinson regarding publication of report.
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Placards for halls at 55
Expenses of speakers falling off
Legacies for W.E.C. went to Board through mistake
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Space allotted at World's Fair
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Mrs Wickham's account of her visit to Asheville, N.C.
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Bill for Calendars
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Miss Jordan still objections
Letter from Dr Quintero of Redondo,M.M.
Miss Hight's school growing large,needs an assistant
Miss Le Gity recommends Miss Stalker for our work
Report of Indian matters
1. Matters in Asheville,N.C.
Appeal for dining hall at Springville,Utah
Mrs Bowtreats for Ogden,Alaska
Miss Skinner for Sitka
Insurance on Sitka supplies
1. Supplies for Mr Joyce,N.M.granted
Pile of portion of lot at Mt Pleasant,Utah
Bed of property at Hot Springs,N.C.
Business of Boys School at Asheville,N.C.
Special objects. Presbyterial or Synodical meetings
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Mrs Judd invited to furnish opinion for Evangelist
Placards for business halls at GS
Expenses of speakers taking off
Supplies for W.M.C. work to Board through mistake
In Vases expenses to Chicago to be paid by W.M.C.
1. Report of teachers in cities among foreign populations
Pres elected at World's Fair
Pledges for World's Congress
Mrs Wishman's account of her visit to Asheville,N.C.
1. Letter from Mrs Davis,Kansas regarding her work
1. Money advance for boarding schools
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Substitute for organizing societies in N.Y.
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Miss Nellie Montgomery Asheville, N.C. has sent word of her marriage to Mr Duncan. Miss Mateen now in the training school in University Place, has been written to by Prof Lawrence to come to Asheville to take Miss Mateen's place, but Miss Mateen strongly desires to continue her present course to fit her more thoroughly as a teacher.

Miss Malcolm has forwarded the credentials of an assistant teacher for Mt Bethel, Tenn. Mrs Miller asked if Miss Green could appeal to the Brick Church for the dining hall at Kingsford Academy. Motion carried that this should be done, the amount needed being $250.

The School Committee granted 36 iron beds with mattresses to be sent to the Boy's School at Mytah, Alaska. Motion carried supporting this grant.

That Miss Caroline Skinner be commissioned as assistant in the Sitka school. Motion carried approving this commission of the School Committee.

That shipment of Sitka supplies be insured on amounts over $200. Motion supported this decision.

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The School Committee granted to issue bonds with mattresses to go to the Jay's School at Lydia,Alaska. Motion carried approving this grant.

That Miss Carolyn Skinner be commissioned as assistant in the Alma school. Motion carried approving this commission of the school committee.

That ministers of Sitka supplies be insured on amounts over $500. Motion supported this decision.

That the supplies needed at Las Vegas,N.M. be granted. Motion carried approving this decision.

That a portion of a lot at Mt Pleasant be sold for $400 motion supported that this sale be made.

That repairs needed in the chapel at Park Hill,Okla Ter are approved. Motion carried supporting this decision

That the deed of Mr Boylan transferring the property at Hot Springs,N.C. with the provision that three teachers be appointed and the building enlarged,was accepted. A motion sustaining this action of the School Committee was carried.

That the matter of the purchase of the Boy's School at Asheville N.C. be left to the officers with Mr Hodge with power. Com concurred in this decision.

Mrs Pierson referred to letter from Mrs Service of Michigan regarding thebringing of objects to Presbyterial meetings rather than to wait for the annual synodical meetings. The committee to look into this was Mrs Roberts,Mrs Hanaman. Mrs Pierson suggested that the Presbyterial officers of New York and Brooklyn Newark and Elizabeth be asked to request a delegate sent from every society to our monthly prayer meetings,also that these officers secure a list of women in the various churches who could render help at these meetings,such list to be kept on file in this office. Motion carried that we approve this suggestion of Mrs Pierson and that letters go from the office to Presidents of

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New York, Brooklyn, Newark & Elizabeth requesting a delegate to be sent each month from societies.

Motion supported that Mrs Pierson interview Mr Robinson of the N.Y. Observer as to the publication of the report of our work sent to their columns. Motion also carried that we ask Miss Judd to furnish a column reporting the monthly prayer meeting for the Evangelist as well as the business meeting following up to one o'clock. Motion carried that Miss Judd be asked to serve on Advisory Committee.

Motion carried that two placards indicating the position of Lenox Hall be prepared in the office and placed in the Halls.

Mrs Roberts read letter from Chicago regarding the visit of Mrs De Vere, that societies have fallen behind and that though the offers of the Ex. Com are very liberal they cannot undertake even the remaining slight expense of having her visit their societies. The letter also refers to the legacies of Mrs Holmes and Mrs Ely which through the mistake of the lawyer went to the Board of Home Missions instead of to the Woman's Ex. Com.

Resolution:- Whereas we learn that contributions are falling off from the fact that the Holmes and Ely legacies have been withheld from the Woman's Ex. Com through mistake, we again earnestly ask the Board of Home Missions to reconsider this case.

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Motion carried that the Finance Committee of the Ex.Committee be to the publication of the report of our net cost to their committee. Motion also carried that we ask the Hall to furnish a column reporting the monthly report meting for the Newspaper as well as the business meeting for being up to date o'clock. Motion carried that Miss Judd be asked to serve on Advisory Committee.

Motion carried that two pianos indicating the position of Miss Hall be prepared in the office and placed in the Hall.

to go among their societies free of expense to them,as we sympathize with their present difficulties.

Mrs James gave as her conviction in reference to the applications coming to us from various cities to support teachers among their foreign populations,that we should show ourselves desirous of following the advice of the ministers,and declare ourselves ready and anxious to enlarge our work in any direction General Assembly may deem advisable. In the Annual Report which the Committee makes to General Assembly Mrs James thinks these matters should be made plain,as well as the fact that the requests made by synods for aid in synodical missionation,has not been coincided with,for the reason that if we undertook that work we could not assist the Board of Home Missions to the extent we are now doing.

Mrs Roberts read letter received from Mr Peabody regarding the space to be allotted to us at the World's Fair,that the entire space for the Presbyterian church was but 400 square feet.

As to the number of speakers we are to furnish for the World's Congress of Missions,the reply came that one woman only would represent the work of Missions for the Presbyterian church and that one woman Miss Parsons of Women's Bank for Women and she will be allowed 20 minutes only. Motion carried the Mrs Roberts confer with Miss Parsons on this subject.

Reassembled at 2.15. Mrs Wickham gave an account of her recent visit to Asheville,N.C. reported a fine hotel,Kenilworth,

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lum. Everything about the Home Industrial was admirably clean, the scholars were at luncheon;the teachers were called together and were a most attractive and enjoyable group of ladies; the pupils were also reported as fine looking and intelligent.
The interior of the Normal and Coll Institute was pronounced perfect; the outside and the location are unattractive. Report of no heat in the room where the shower baths are located,making them practically useless. The laundry arrangements are perfect, with the exception of the provisionsfor boiling,but the clothes are dried in the house. A fenced in portion of the grounds would provide for outside drying. The lift does not work,girls mostly carry clothes. Attention was called to the fact that three pianos were hired at great expense,with suggestion that such instruments should be purchased for the needs of the school. The bed rooms are so large that another double bed could easily be placed in each room,and there are transoms over each door. Teachers are satisfied with all arrangements for food &c. The colored porter Joe is invaluable, trained at Hampton,is now studying stenography at night.

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Mrs James read a letter from Mrs Davis,of Kansas outlining her itinerary and reporting securing many scholarships and a teachers salary; the collections have more than paid her expen-

Another matter: the collections have more than paid for exploration and repairing work and replacing machinery and equipment and a few years ago we were able to make some additions to the Industrial Museum which is now practically complete. The Library arrangements are perfect, and we have a total of 3,000 volumes. Report of the Journal and Oil Institute was presented; the statistics and the locations are satisfactory. Report of the Director of the Journal and Oil Institute was presented; this was also reported on the looking and intelligent.

The Institute was a most attractive and enjoyable group of ladies; the minutes were read at Innisfail; the teachers were called together and the officers for Innisfail; the teachers were called together and the officers were elected. Attention was called to the fact that there was a lot of grass growing with suggestions that much in this direction should be performed for the needs of the school. The Institute and the Journal and Oil Institute have could easily be placed in each room, and there are instances over each door. Report was satisfied with all arrangements for food so. The Board Peter Ono is immensely pleased at Innisfail, is now doing excellently at night.

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Mrs James thought our boarding schools should have money advanced them for beginning the school term.

Miss Lincoln asks if the bill for Calendars shall be paid from leaflet funds. Carried.

Mrs James wishes that Synodical Committee could be worked up to a unit, should be stronger and more concrete.

Mrs Miller asked if enough of the New York Synodical Committee were present, to suggest a substitute for Miss Rogers (who is called to Muskogee) for organizing societies in New York Synod. No action could be taken.

Mrs Wickham was asked to write to Baldwin College, Mo with regard to the education of Archie Cameron of Alaska.

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From Birmingham, Mich Mrs A. March writes to know if we could help them in securing a speaker for their annual meeting at Ann Arbor. Their idea is to have some lady address young women on the subject of Home Mission work as the best help in developing women. Mrs March will be written to that we will give the mat ter consideration and doubtless secure a speaker who can fill their requirements.

Mrs Miller laid upon the table a newspaper containing a full account of the trouble which had been experienced in Miss De Sette's neighborhood.

Mrs Finks finds that our appeal to the paper Golden Rule the organ of the Christian Endeavor Societies onthe collection to be taken for Home Missions on their Annual Day, had not been published. Others appear but not our work. Mrs Stevens explains that the appeal had been prepared and approved by the Board, but had not been sent by them as promised. Much regret is felt at this serious omission.

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Mr Hunter, Miss Wishard's pastor at Terre Haute, writes to know if she will be confined quietly to office work, or will her duties carry her over the field. He thinks she could not sacrifice her present position to perform clerical work entirely. Mrs James thinks she could not confine herself to outside work and present our work satisfactorily. A thorough knowledge of i it would necessitate her presence in the office to some extent. Motion carried that we give Mr Hunter full particulars of the work desired by Miss Wishard and make plain the fact that the two sides of the work cannot be divided, and that the position is one of wide proportions.

The Presbytery of Olympia, Washington, send an appeal to the Board asking if they can support a missionary among the Nisqually Chehalis and Mud Bay Indians at a salary of $1000. Rev Mr Mann stands ready to accept this position. The Board being unequal to this demand, they ask the Women's Executive Committee to undertake this salary. Motion carried that we appeal to the Board of the North Pacific to try to raise this salary as we are unable to undertake any new work, and yet would recommend this cause on their own field to them.

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A letter from Mrs Trent of Sinn. Ohio asks if the tablet in the Pyle Memorial building at Tuss could be changed from present writing which is not satisfactory to the ladies of Sinn. At present it reads "the Pyle Memorial erected by Rhodes and Hughes,1892. As these are the builders only,the absurdity is

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At Franklin,Idaho,the school having been given up,they ask for reconsideration this spring. Motion carried that it be referred to the Spring Conference.

Mr Shepard of Spanishville,Utah writes that the dining hall can be built more cheaply now than later in the season and begs for its speedy completion.

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Miss Eaton came in to explain the issuing of stock for the Farm School at Asheville,N.C. asked whether the term used should be Capitol stock or Equipment Fund. The latter term was decided upon. This will be divided into shares of $10 each so that to cover the rooms it would require four shares as the cost of each would be $40. It was thought best to have Mrs Frost secure $10 shares only without saying anything about rooms. Motion carried that no furnishing of rooms be asked for but the certif icates of stock to cover everything. The details of issuing this stock be left with Miss Eaton in conference with the secre taries in the office. Any money coming in for this $10,000 equipment fund must be outside of synodical pledges,and shall not be offered in New York and New Jersey till these synodical pledges be fulfilled. Motion carried that Mrs Frost be asked to concur in this. A further consideration of the subject

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resulted in a resolution to defer the issuing of certificates of stock until the site of the proposed building was decided upon, and purchased, and an interview with the secretaries was had.

As the Board are about re-adjusting their office workers Mrs Roberts reported that the time seemed now a good one for the appointment of a school secretary and it would be well for us to consider the matter and make a recommendation at the next meetin of the Board.

Miss Lincoln reported receiving a receipt from Miss Glover of her traveling expenses home as a gift to the Committee for th work. Motion carried accepting this gift of Miss Glover with gratitude.

Miss Watt of St George, Utah sends in an itemized bill of small school-room expenses. A motion carried that the bill be paid.

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The secretaries came in for conference at 12.30 A.M. and the explanation was first made that the appeal to the Golden Rule organ of C.E.Societies was overlooked to get it in in time

As to the objection of some of their societies to being addressed by a woman, the Board expect to appoint a young man out of the seminary to present the work of the Board and where a man is preferred he could be sent.

The appeal was made that the $300 asked as an increase of the salary of Mr Finks be paid by the Board of Home Missions. This was agreed to in consideration of the Sabbath evening service being devoted to a preaching service on Home Missions.

Mr Eaton stated that directions have gone to Mr Austin at Sitka for the bath rooms.

Mrs James made a statement of the situation at Alton, N.C. of the work under Miss Hotchkiss and the continuance of the impression that that is not work under the Board of Home Missions Dr Roberts advised the writing of a plain letter to Miss Hotchkiss stating that we cannot continue correspondence in the school either in the sending of teachers, or the purchase of property. If the impression is to go to the press and elsewhere, that the work is carried on by a northern gentleman of means and not by the Board of Home Missions. Mrs James proposed writing to Miss Hotchkiss to this effect, or to make the proposition suggested by Dr Roberts, asking if she would prefer us to pay her for what

The motion was carried in the affirmative by 18-30 vote and the amendment was first made that the appeal to the Gridiron Club of O.M.Construction was overlooked so that it is in time to the objection of some of their members to point out that we cannot consistently cooperate in the video industry that we cannot consistently cooperate in the video industry, in the making of tomorrow,or the business of yesterday, if the impression is to go to the press and elsewhere,that the Board is carried only by a majority particularly of women and not by the Board of Home Missions. Mrs Jones proposed writing to Miss Stokes to this effect,or to make the proposition suggested. If Roberts,making it she would prefer us to pay her for what

she has expended on the school and withdrew from the field leaving it entirely in her hands.

As to the tables and chairs needed by Miss De Sette, Mr Eaton thinks a supply could be ordered sent her from Albuquerque.

Mrs Roberts made a motion, which was carried, that in view of the great enlargement of the school work of the Woman's Ex. Com. the Board of Home Missions be requested to appoint a suitable man as general superintendent, to act under the instruction of the Board and of the Woman's Ex.Com., to be located at 156 Fifth Ave, N.Y.

Motion also carried that we ask the Board to designate one of its officers to whom school matters can be referred and on whom the responsibility of the carrying out of detail shall rest.

Adjourned for luncheon at 1.15 P.M. Reassembled at 2.P.M.

Miss Robertson gave a report of the conference recently held in Washington on Indian affairs. She said the fact was developed that Presbyterian work in the Territory distanced all other. Her disinterested conclusion however was, that the Indian work should not now be pressed, that we should go very carefully and put up no new buildings; that we might perhaps follow Dr Morgans suggestions and gradually leave the primary work to the Govt schools, and keep the finishing. The Baptists in Indian Territory are largely Presbyterian trained from our foundation schools; in worldly wisdom we may be deficient in spending so

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As to the tables and chairs needed by Miss Ketchum, Mrs. Albuquerque thinks a supply could be ordered sent her from Albuquerque.

Mrs Roberts made a motion, which was carried, that in view of the great enlargement of the school work of the Woman's Ex. Bd. the Board of Home Missions be requested to appoint a suitable man as general superintendent, to act under the instruction of the Board and of the Woman's Ex.Com., to be located at 52 Fifth Ave, N.Y.

Motion also carried that we ask the Board to designate one of the officers to whom school matters can be referred and on the responsibility of the carrying out of detail shall rest.

Adjourned for luncheon at 1.15 P.M. Reassembled at 2.P.M.

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Motion carried that a report of our schools be prepared for the Annual Meeting, by the secretary of that department, and that the July number of the Home Mission Monthly be enlarged for the purpose of taking in all the reports of the an ual meeting.

Motion carried that the nephew of Miss Beckman, a physician in New York be conferred with regarding the condition of health of that valued teacher.

Motion carried that in view of the great pressure of work in the treasury department, all Christian Endea vor work be turned over to Mrs Pierson's desk, until the prospective secretary for young people's work qualifies.

Miss Robertson reported the strange memorial presented to Congress in the interests of Mrs Snow, the mother of one of the former teachers in Richfield, Utah, who died after a short service The mother claims a thousand dollars and makes accusation agains the Board of Home Missions and Woman's Mis.Com. Miss Robertson went to the Capitol to investigate.

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Nominating Committee report.
Report of Building Committee. Old Dwight.
Report of literature committee.
2. Postal cards to be printed.
Report of Committee on Magazine.
Report of prayer meeting Committee.
Report of Publication Committee.
3. Geodetic maps of Alaska.
Sale of leaflets at other stations.
Letter from Dr Ehwing.
Extracts from N,M,
Inscription on Taos building.
Report on Mormon correspondence.
4. Miss Neilson of Utah.
Presbyterial Banks.
Report on general work.
5. Letter from Mrs Newton,Ga.
Washington College,Tenn needs more funds.
Scholarships for Zuni,N.M.
6. Scholarships for Home at Salt Lake City,Utah
Mrs Palmer. Furniture for one of our schools.
Report of Committee on revision of standingCom.
Mrs Roberts in Mrs Crosby's place.
Letter from Mrs Stevenson of Cali.
7. Salary of speakers.
Free literature.
Revision of Executive Committee card.
8. Representative for Palmyra Presbyterial Meeting.
Annual Meeting at Washington. Day of Annual Meeting.
Death of Mrs S.E.D.Haynes.
Miss Ross health failing.
9. Miss Willard suggests text books be more uniform.
Vacancies at Sitka,Alaska.
Methods of Hampton.
Competent teachers for Utah.
0. Lehigh,Ind Ter discontinued for present.
Muscogee,Ind Ter. Miss Rogers.
Red Fork,Ind Ter. Miss Sanford doing nicely.
Tulsa,Ind Ter.
Resignation of Miss Stringfield. Miss Docking.
1. Coralles. Laguna. N.M.
Death of Mrs Hills.Raton,N.M.
Miss Beekman, Las Vegas,N.M. injured.
Appointment for Tecolote,N.M.

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12. Tucson, Mrs Billman in the office to help husband.
Farmer & Matron for Asheville, N.C.
Laundry at Sitka, Alaska
Letter from Miss Kelsey, Sitka, Alaska.
Superintendent of Schools. Rev G.F. Mc Afee.

13. Miss Stephenson's plans for next summer.
Resignation of Miss Hooker Asheville, N.C.
Mrs De Vore to address meetings in New York Synod.
Mrs Gault to visit societies.

14. Properties of Executive Committee.
Mrs Mason to have charge of letters about Georgia.
Transfer of money for Salina to H.M. account.
Ely legacy.

12. Thomson,Mrs. Sullivan in [illegible] to help Husband.
Tax for 1 letter for Mrs. Will,N.Y.
Laundry at Cities ,Alaska
Letter from Mr. Hole Y,Cities,Alaska.
Supplement to Tonopah, Nev. Nov 6,"Mr. Ar[illegible]
13. Mrs. St Phenson's p[illegible]
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Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday Feb 7th at 10.30 A.M. Present about 18 or 20 ladies. Meeting opened by reading of Scripture by Mrs James and sevesal prayers.

Minutes of last meeting as well as those of Com. of Ways and Means read and approved.

Treasurer's reported a comparative statement of this year and last; showed an advance of $1000 from Christian Endeavor
292 from Sunday Schools
6,5LL from miscellaneous
decrease kn legacies 12,231 this year
Total increase 2,842.

Report was called for from nominating committee which Miss Judd too ill to respond and Mrs Merrill willing and pleased to attend the meetings as often as possible.

Report of Building Committee is that plans for Old Dwight are ready to be forwarded. Motion carried that these plans be approved and sent on at once. Also motion carried that the Committee approve plan for heatingCConcord qwith hot water.

Mrs Hills reported on appeals for religious literature that she had received manyrrequests for such literature, for children, for cow-boys, for ministers libraries etc. Mrs Hills sends the names of such applicants to others having matter to send and the work is growing and promises to be very helpful and important. A motion carried that notice of a request for

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Committee on magazine reported that Miss Haines who had been of much service was now called away from the city and would be unable to serve on that or on the Publication Committee for an indefinite time.

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Committee on Publication reported that there seems to be a growing desire to have a magazine or paper for children, corresponding with that published by the Foreign Board. This however could not be undertaken by the Publication Committee but would require a distinct editor on salary, and this naturally calls for much deliberation. Mrs Parsons was asked to have the matter in mind and to confer with the Secretaries in the office on the subject. As to the publication of a calendar in union with the Foreign Board, the decision has come from the latter that while the New York Board might favor it, the Board of the North West hold out against it. Sentiment of the Committee was then sought as to having another calendar for 1894. It was decided to consider the matter for a month before conclusion. Motion carried that we recognize the devotion and interest of

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Mrs Pierson stated that Dr Jackson has recommended for our use the geodetic maps of Alaska published at Washington. The secretaries advise the purchase of one thousand of these as the rate is lower by the quantity. Motion carried so ordering.

Mrs Roberts asked if we had other stations over the country for the sale of our leaflets. This being an important matter Mrs James asked Mrs Roberts if she would bring that to the Annual Meeting in Washington for discussion.

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would be necessary.to emphasize the fact that the letters were not for publication,not to print in any way. Motion carried that the letters be copied and sent to these ladies. Mrs Pierson suggested that our relation with Mrs Davis should be thoroughly understood as she stands as the connecting link between headquarters and societies throughout churches; Mrs Pierson also suggested that Mrs Davis receive a regular salary rather than be paid for each meeting as at present; frequently by staying a little longer she could accomplish much good for societies, whereas under the present arrangement she needs to hurry to meet the next ehgagement and make the most of her time. By remaining more good could be accomplished as she could meet with the women and clinch the objects she has placed before them. Motion made and carried that Mrs Davis be employed the same as Mrs Walker at $100 per month while in service,and that this recommendation be placed before the School Committee.

Free literature was then discussed. These ladies addressing meetings would be aided much if they could have literature to distribute where the people could not pay for it. Motion carried that these women be allowed to order literature in limited amount to be used in their work at their discretion.

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Matters regarding Annual meeting at Washington were then talked of, the suggestion being made that the day of the Annual meeting be set for an early part of the session. The ladies of the Foreign Board having made inquiries concerning the prayer meetings to be held, as to hours and leaders &c. a Motion was carried that Mrs Brownell as chairman of such committee be notified to call her committee together as soon as possible, to consider all matters pertaining to Annual meeting. Motion carried that Miss peck be added to this committee.

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The thought was given that it was necessary to make our schools as nearly self-supporting as possible and we might be aided by learning of the methods of Hampton. Mrs James thought the children of Sitka should be taught to do laundry work thorou ly so as to get employment at places like Seattle and thus take care of themselves.

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by Mrs Miller as to rules ,regulations &c.

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Miss Rogers was to go to Muscogee,Ind Ter,as principal teacher; she is too ill and her physician has forbidden her going or undertaking any brain work; Miss Cox has been telegraphed the situation and asked to confer with Dr Hill regarding a substitute.

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Mr Memaul writes that Miss Mc Millan is doing well at Corrales. Motion carried that Miss Coltman be appointed assistant teahher at Lagina. The schools in New Mexico are in excellent condition. More harmony and unity exists among the missionaries this year than at any other time. Resolved that the transfer of Miss Mc Millan be approved.

Letter from Miss Hills,Raton.N.M. announcing the death o of her mother. Resolved that a letter of sympathy be written Miss Hills.

Miss Beekman having met with an accident some few months ago,tried the baths at Hot Springs,Las Vegas,N.M. but found they were not helping her; she used two crutches and it is feared that it will be necessary to have better treatment. Mrs Miller reports having upon Miss Beekman's nephew in the City,Dr Beekman who feels that she should have surgical treatment. Miss Case writes there hasbeen no improvements in Miss Beekman's condition. She is now confined to her bed. Motion carried that a letter be written expressing the sympathy of the Committee in her suffering,and granting her the privilege of coming east for surgical treatment if she so desires.

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end of the year.

Tucson. Mrs Billman being needed in the office to assist her husband, motion carried that Miss Anna Coleman be appointed to take the place of Mrs Billman.

Mrs Miller reports having found a farmer and matron for the new boy's school at Asheville, N.C. Mr Jaffrays is a graduate of the Agricultural department of Cornell University. Motion carried that the action regarding these two workers be endorsed.

Letter received from Mrs Simpson, Sitka, Alaska stating the girls cannot iron fine pieces as she cannot be with them on the days they do this work; she has very few things to work with.

Very interesting letter from Miss Kelsey, Sitka, Alaska, Fanniw Willard is doinggood work; Fred Moore teaching the primary department. Two marines have induced Lucy and another girl to leave the school. The securing of places for the girls when ready to leave the school is a very important matter and ought to be looked into at once.

In view of the fact that a resolution was passed that we have a Superintendentof schools, Mrs Honeyman recommended Rev G.F.Mc Afee at present Supt of our school at Sisseton, So. Dak. Mr Mc Afee was at one time Synodical Supt and financial agent of Mc Alester College, also pastor for some years in St Paul and understands Home Missionswork, thus making him thor-

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oughly qualified for this position. He is an educator and a good business man,young,active,energetic and a man of affairs. Recommended that for the first year he be offered $2500 and traveling expenses. Carried.

Miss Stephenson,Asheville,N.C. writes of her plan for next summer; as she remained at school all last summer,Miss Momtgomery and Miss Marion Jackson to remain this year. Miss Jackson will keep the books for $5 per month and assist Miss Montgomery for $15 or $18 per month. Motioncarried ythat Miss Stephenson be allowed to retain Miss Jacksontthrough the summer

Letter from Mr Lawrence stating that Miss Hooker's desired to resign her position,asking that Miss Hutton be commissioned to fill vacancy. Miss Hooker was unfortunate in writing for one of the papers using incidents recognized by the people. Resolved to ask Miss Hutton to return and her traveling expenses will be apaid both ways.

Mrs Miller reported that Mrs De Vore will address meetings intthe Synod of New York until March 19th. Miss Green has been offered to Mrs Walker of Colo and Mrs Kendall of Indiana, her appointments to continue until April 15th.

Motion carried that Mrs Roberts correspond with Mrs Gault asking if she will visit societies in thespring,and leaflets and documents be sent her in case she consents.

Miss Lincoln requests that all properties that have been

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Motion carried that Mrs Roberts correspond with Mrs Gault asking if she will visit societies in Chesapeake,and letts and documents be sent her in care the consuls.

Miss Lincoln requests that all properties that have been

abandoned be looked into and sold if possible. Motion carried that Miss Lincoln get all the information regarding all our property that is not used at present in our work.

Resolved to send all letters regarding the work in Georgia to Mrs Mason of Brooklyn, asking her to get all possible light and information concerning it from her friends.

Mrs Crosby has continued the amount for Salina and Miss Lincoln would like permission to transfer this money to the Home Mission account. On motion granted.

Mrs Roberts reported the Executive Committee receiving $500 from the Ely legacy.

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Mission account. On motion granted.

Mrs Roberts reported the Executive Committee receiving

$200 from the Ely legacy.

WAYS and MEANS.
Feb 14th,1893

1. Chickasaw Indians need clothing
   Christmas box for Miss De Sette
   Matters pertaining to Altan,N.C. Religious exercises
2. Miss Beekman still helpless
   Raton,N.M. Mrs Hills death
3 Miss Shimp obliged to resign
   Pyle memorial inscription
   Vice-president from Illinois
   Pena Blanca,N.M. Building
4. Questions from lady managers of Worlds Fair to be answered
   Space for exhibit atWorld's Fair
   Legacy of Mrs Hooker
   Miss Mc Pheeters house at Monroe,Utah
   Miss Kraft wood carver for Sitka,Alaska
5. Special work for Presbyteries
   Treasurer's blanks
   General superintendentof schools.
6.Matters pertaining to Annual Meeting. Church &c.

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2. Miss Peabody still helpless
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5. Special work for Presbyteries
Treasurer's blanks
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Letters pertaining to Annual Meeting. Church &c.

Meeting of ways and Means Committee on Tuesday Feb 24th at 10.30 A.M. Present Mrs Roberts in the chair Mrs Jamesbeing absent,Mrs Honeyman,Miss Peck,Mrs Pierson,Mrs Miller,Miss Lincoln and Mrs Brownell. Meeting opened by reading of Scripture by Mrs Roberts and short prayers in turn. Motion made by Mrs Brownell that hereafter the postal notices for the monthly prayer meetings be printed instead of beingdone onfyelestyle this proving burdensome and not altog ether satisfactory.

From the Indian field another communicationhas come regarding the Chickasaw poor whites,End Tex,where they average 10 to 1. They are suffering for want of clothing. A motion supported that we will endeavor to send them the desired clothing as soci ties are constantly offering such for these expectingaid.

Miss De Sette encloses a letter from Mrs Beverly president of New Brunswick presbytery,for our advice on a certain line. This is in regard to appealing for Christmas boxes early in the season and that this appeal should be made through Miss Pond to the society supporting ghem rather than directly to the M. Com. WE learn that Miss De Sette has sent Mrs Breerly a copy of our rules and in view of this a motion carried that the matte be left with Mrs Baker to adjust as she has the box work in hand

Letters from Miss Hotchkiss and Miss Blackburn of Alton,N.C in regard to the religious exercises held in the schools Mrs

Meeting of ways and Means Committee on Tuesday Feb 26th at 10.00 A.M. Present Mrs Roberts in the chair Mrs Samsonbing ab-and,Mrs Hungerman,Miss Peck,Mrs Pierson,Mrs Miller,Miss Lincoln and Mrs Bromwell. Meeting opened by reading of Scripture by Mrs Roberts and short prayers in turn. Motion made by Mrs Bromwell that hereafter the penal notices for the monthly paper meet-ings be printed instead of being done employerly this proving burdensome and not giving other satisfactory.

Then the Indian field monthly communications were regard-ing the Chickasaw poor whites,Ind Ter,where they average 10 to 1. They are suffering for want of clothing. A motion supported that we will endeavor to send them the desired clothing as most also are constantly suffering much for things expecting aid.

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Motion made by Mrs Bromwell in view of this a motion carried that the Sec. of our Board and in view of this a motion carried that the Sec. in left with Mrs Young to adjust as she has the box work in hand

Letters from Miss Hotchkiss and Miss Blackburn of Altan,N.C. regard to the religious exercises held in the school. Mrs

pierson in explanation read letter from the office to Miss Hatch kiss plainly defining the purpose of the school and its relation to the Board. Miss Hatchkiss in reply gives indetail the reli gious exercises of the school and states that her desire always uppermost is to maintain a religious atmosphere intthe school and extend it to all about.

Miss Blackburn writes that the religious exercises of the school are as marked as in any she has seen. Miss Hatchkiss influence over her pupils is remarkable. Their letters have been handed to the Board and they have referred them to the Spring conference. Motion carried that we concur in this decision.

Miss Beckman writes that she is still helpless.with her ankle,and rest seems to be imperative for six weeks to come. She has done but little,she feels this year,in the school,and thinks another superintendent should be appointed in her place. Motion carried that Miss Beckman be granted leave of absence r till quite restored and Miss Mc Nair be asked to take charge of the school in her absence,as the attendance is small and it is thought this can be done.

Mrs Hills of Raton,N.M. has recently died and her daughter is left there alone. In such cases it is usual to allow a quar- ter's salary towards expenses. Motion carried that Miss Hills have a quarter's salary granted her. She writes that a native young man named Clemente Gallegos anxious to enter the work and

young man named Clemente Williams anxious to enter the work and join a quiet's salary granted her. She writes that a native quiet's salary towards expenses. Motion carried that Miss Hills and extend it to all about.

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Mrs Hills of Ashon,N.H. has recently died and her daughter is left there alone. In such cases it is usual to allow a quar-

she recommends him to as a satisfactory successor in her mother's place,not of course on the same salary. Motion carried that if after the credentials of Mr Padilla are received and should they prove satisfactory,we recommend this appointment to assist Miss Mills.

Miss Shimp of Richfield,Utah is now obliged to resign on account of ill health and asks to be released for three months. Motion carried that Miss Shimp,a Mormon girl by birth,be release from her engagement and that Dr Wishard be asked to supply her place.

Mrs Trout of Ginn. Ohio is pleased with the inscription as suggested by the Committee on the Pyle Memorial building. Matter referred to Mr Eaton.

Mrs Robinson of Synodical society of Illinois,thinks it would be well to have another vice-president from Illinois on Woman's Ex.Com and suggests Mrs Farwell of Chicago Presbytery as thinks it would be more satisfactory if the nomination came from the Ex.Com rather than from the Illinois synodical society. Mrs Roberts is acquainted with Mrs Farwell and thinks she would be an admirable representation on our Committee. Motion carried that Mrs Pierson confer with Mrs Finks before corresponding with Mrs Robinson as to the method of electing Mrs Farwell at the Annual Meeting.

Mrs Thompson of Pena Blanca,N.M. writes that Mr Menaul

the recommends him to be a satisfactory successor in her matter, but, of course on the same salary. Motion carried that if after the credentials of Mr Padilla are received and should they prove satisfactory, we recommend this appointment to assist Miss Hill.

Miss Shimp of Kickville, Ufah is her obliged to resign on account of ill health and asks to be released for three months. Motion carried that Miss Shimp, a Norman girl by birth, be released from her engagement and that Mr Wishard be asked to supply her place.

The Young of Ohio. Ohio is pleased with the inspection as suggested by the Committee on the Lyle Memorial building. Matter referred to Mr Meden.

Mr Robinson of Syracuse society of Illinois, thinks it would be well to have another vice-president from Illinois on Mrs Meden and suggests Mrs Terrell of Chicago Presbytery. Mr Meden thinks it would be more satisfactory if the nomination came from Mr Meden rather than from the Illinois synodical society. Mr Roberts is acquainted with Mrs Terrell and thinks she would be a desirable representation on our Committee. Motion carried that Mrs Thomas Comfort with Mrs Vinke before corresponding with Mrs Robinson as to the method of electing Mrs Terrell at the Annual Meeting.

Mrs Thompson of Pena Blanca, N.M. writes that Mr Wernal

thinks it would be injudicious to build at that point, as the Roman Catholics influence is overpowering. Motion carried that our secretaries confer with the officers of the Board with a vie to the recommendations we shall make later to the School Committe

Papers have been received from the lady managers of the World's Fair consisting of a list of questions relating to our work, to be filled up and presented. Motion carried that the paper be filled up and returned.

Mrs Roberts read letter from Prof Morrow, secretary of the Presbyterian exhibit for the World's Fair, asking just what we wish to exhibit and that space would be granted us. Motion carried that Mrs Roberts write to Prof Morrow that we desire only space for an exhibit of our literature and that this will not be large.

Miss Lincoln reported that the $800 legacy of Mrs Hooker, left to us a yeerage has now come regularly into the treasury.

An appropriation of $800 was made to purchase Miss Mc Phee r's house in Monroe, Utah, but owingtothe long delay she was able to sell it to another party, desiring to get it off her hands. The Board now inform us that a teacher's house can be put up for $450 on the land we own if we approve. Motion carrie that we accept this suggestion of the Board.

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stated that as Miss Kraft cannot be ready to go until the first of May, it might be well to delay her commission until fall. Motion carried that this be left for conference between the office and the secretaries.

Mrs Roberts reported from the Committee on the time for bringing special work before Presbyterial Societies. Mrs Money man thinks we cannot make much change in our methods except to acquaint Synodical Societies with the work to be taken up for the coming year as soon as possible after May conference. The Presbyterial officers could then be asked to obtain this information from Synodical Societies. After some discussion a motion was carried that this report be approved and brought before the next meeting for adoption. The report will be written out for this purpose.

Blanks being needed to send to Presbyterial treasurers a motion was carried that Miss Lincoln order the needed number.

At a meeting of Ways and Means Committee held Feb 17th the matter of the general superintendent of schools was fully discussed with the officers of the Board, who will present it at the next Board meeting. At the suggestion of Mr Eaton, who cautions us against responding to irregular appeals, the matter of sending boxes of clothing to Rev E Hamilton of Chickasaw, Ind Ter was reconsidered and a letter will be written him explaining why we

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Funds being needed to send to Presbyterial treasurers a motion was carried that Miss Lincoln order the needed amount.

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cannot assist him in the immediate needs of his field. Adjourned after a short session.

Committee on Annual Meeting met at 1PM. following Ways and Means Committee Mrs Roberts remained in chair and Mrs Finks was added to the number.

Mrs Pierson reported that Mrs Fry has asked us to the church we desire to meet in in Washington. Mrs James thinks that we should have a church as near as possible to the church used by the gentlemen, as well as accessible to some hotel where the Committee could all be entertained.

The Foundry Methodist is the nearest but is thought gloomy by Mrs Hamlin, and she is anxious to have us use the church of the Covenant, as she will then be able to furnish music ligt etc and she thinks it not too far away. As to the day she begs us to fix an earlier date than as usual, as the Briggs trial will draw so many. Mrs Finks thought we could as well fix on Friday of the first week of Assembly for our Annual Meeting, and the Foreign ladies having Monday afternoon, we should find Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons sufficient for our other conferences. The prayer meetings at Portland were held at half past four in the afternoon and were very successful. Mrs Fry was asked to come in oin conference and after discussion a motion was carried that we recommend to the Ex Com the use of Dr Hamlin's church

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Feb, 21st 1893.

1. Letter from Sisseton, So Dak' Indiam Drill
Representat-ives from schools at Annual meeting
Addition needed at Sitka for little boys.
2. Atoka, Ind Ter. House in bad condition.
Harlan Court House burned.
Boy's Farm School at Asheville, N.C.
Library at Asheville, N.C.
3. Report of Committee on color of heading of paper for office
Special announcements of monthly prayer meetings.
Home Mission Army.
Resignation of Miss Alice Robertson.

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Regular business meeting of the Woman's Executive Committee Feb 21st.

Letter read by Mrs Miller from Good Will, Sisseton Agency So Dak, Miss Mc Ooat is very much pleased that there is a prospect of help in the laundry. Indians are not adapted to laundry work; matrons are obliged to do most of the work. They are trying to organize an Indian Club Drill; Mrs Mc Afee is to assist in getting the proper costumes; Mrs Baker will appeal gfor the 150 yards of flannel for the girl's suits. Boxes and barrels are so often imperfectly marked and addressed it is difficult to identify them.

Letter read from a woman who was anxious to help in sending a box - but very poor - however she did her best and sent a box hoping her mite would arouse interest in her own church. As no address was given it could not of course be acknowledged by the teachers.

Attention was called to the fact that no representatives from our schools have been named for the Annual meeting at Washington. Matter referred to committee on program for Annual meeting.

A letter read by Mrs Pierson from Mrs Austin. An addition greatly needed for a dormitory so the little boys may have a place - better sleeping accommodations. It would be a comfort and benefit to our teachers who need rest in Alaska, so far from

Regular Quarterly Meeting of the Women's Missionary Committee Yearly Meet;

Letter read by Mrs. Miller from Miss Mary Rigbeston Agency to Tak,Mies. He book is very much pleased that there is a great need of help in the laundry. Indians are not adapted to laundry work; matrons are obliged to do most of the work. They are trying to organize an Indian Girls' Band; Mrs. Ho also is to assist in getting the girls or coaching; Mrs. Baker will appeal for the 150 yards of flannel for the girl's suits. Boxes and barrels are so often imported duty required and it is difficult to identify them.

Letter read from a young man asking to help in sending a box - but very poor - however the Yearly Meet sent a box hoping for in a young Indian interest in her own church. As no address was given it could not be acknowledged by the teacher.

Attention was called to the fact that no representatives from our schools have been asked for the Annual Meeting at Washington. Letter referred to committee on program for Annual meeting.

A letter read by Mrs. Pierson from Mrs. Austin. An application greatly needed for a dormitory so the little boys may have a place - better sleeping accommodations. It would be a comfort and benefit to our teachers who are left in charge, far from

home, to have a place where they might go instead of coming home. Warm Springs about twenty-five miles from Sitka suggested, but Mrs Austin does not consider it would be at all desirable; it is a lonely, desolate spot where one would bedevoured with mosquitoe

A class room is needed for smaller scholars. Motion carried that this request be referred to Spring Conference.

From Indian Territory an appeal comes from Miss Charles Atoka, Ind Ter. Her house is in a very bad condition and as a result she is suffering from rheumatism. Help has been offered them by a Mr Meeker, Newark, N.J. who wrote last spring; in answer ing she told of some of their needs, and in reply he made some enquiries expressing a desire to help. Matter of necessary repairs, stopping leaks &c. referred to office and Mr Eaton.

Burning of church used as school building, Harlan Court House, Ky. News received from a lady to whom one of the teachers had writtem - the office has not received the news directly Another room has been rented so the work is not stopped.

Letter from Miss Stephenson in regard to boy's farm school. When will school be opened? Amount for scholarships? &c.&c, Land now owned. $2000 in hand or in sight. School building to be begun in Spring. Question amount of scholarship discussed. Motion made at $75. Carried.

Miss Stephenson desires to have a room fitted up as a library. A Mrs Colby will probably give the amount if the libra-

home, to have a place where they might go instead of coming home.

Mrs Martin does not consider it would be at all desirable; it is a lonely, desolate spot where one would be overwhelmed with mosquitoes too!

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From Indian Territory an appeal came from Miss Charles Atoka, Ind Ter. Her home is in a very bad condition and as a result she is unfit for her work. Help has been offered them by a Mr Hooker, Norman, Okla. Mrs Stone last spring; in answer to the call of Miss Charles, and in reply to this she supplies supporting a letter to help. Matter of necessary repairs, stopping leaks &c. referred to officers and Ex Board.

Burning of church used as school building, Marian County Home, Ky. Here received from a lady to whom one of the women had written - the church has not received the news directly. Another room has been rented so the work is not stopped.

Letter from Miss Stephenson in regard to boy's farm school. Her will school be opened about for scholarship, &c.&c. Land now owned. Funds in hand or in sight. School building to be begun in Spring. Question about of scholarship discussed. Motion made at 4½. Carried.

Miss Stephenson desires to have a room fitted up as a library. A fine doing work. Can only give the amount in the library-

ry may be had. Motion carried if approved by Secretaries that the money be appropriated this way.

The Committee upon selection of color for office paper was asked for its report. Black recommended as the paper is blue white. Motion carried that the recommendations of Committee be accepted. Suggested that all the cards used in the office be printed. Carried.

Mrs Pierson suggested that special announcements be made of our Monthly Prayer meetings. A card was shown that is issued by the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions giving dates of meetings &c. Motion carried that this matter be referred to Committee of Publication that special notices be taken in hand.

Mrs Pierson thinks that the "Home Mission Army" is not followed up. It does not know what it is to do after once started. Question is regard to further information for this army referred to Publication Committee in conference with our Secretaries and Mrs James.

Mrs Miller has a letter from Miss Robertson asking that her resignation be accepted. She wishes work of a more permanent character and has something in view when she is free. Her resignation accepted with regret, and a motion carried that warm expression of her past valuable services be made.

Meeting adjourned at one o'clock.

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WAYS & MEANS
Feb 28th,1893

1. Card notice of regular business meetings.
Zanesville,Ohio, want to send a box to Zuni,N.M.
Mrs Cutter desires to appeal to C.E.Societies
Miss Allison,Santa Fe,N.M.writes regarding the school
2. Burning of Marian Court House,Ky
3. Mrs Davis of Newton.Kansas overworking
School Committee approve of general superintendent
Amount in hand for Boy's School ,Asheville,N.C.
Mrs Farwell for vice president of Ex Com.from Chicago.Ills
4. Revision of scholarship statement
Mr Bull needs assistance
Miss Wishards duties; time of beginning
Miss Marshall of San Luis,Colo resigns
Miss Calvert,Asheville,N.C. resigns
5. Miss Blake's successor at Tecolote,N.M.
Salaries of teachers at Asheville,N.C.
Rules of Board for teachers.
6. Mr Austin writes of the work at Sitka,Alaska
6. Mr Mc Afee to stop at two schools on way east
Mrs Walker not to go in Indian Territory
Mrs Thwing grateful for organ. Asks about music lessons
7. Miss Kelsey discouraged
Extracts from presidents of synodical societies regardingmissions
Salaries of teacher paid to date
Incompetent teachers to be culled from the list
7. Miss Cox desires larger salary
Memorial for Mrs Cady
Miss Ludlum sends money for Alaska
Meeting on Annual Meeting

WAYS & MEANS
Feb 28th,1906

1. Read notice of regular business meeting.
Bucyrus,Ohio, want to send a box to Bual,N.M.
Mr Butler desires to appeal to G.N.Societies
Miss Allison,Santa Fe,N.M.writes regarding the school
2. Meeting of Marion County Nurses,Ky
3. Mrs Davis of Newton,Kansas overwrighting
School Committee approve of general superintendent
Account in hand for Day's School ,Ashville,N.C.
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Salaries of teacher paid to date
Inexperienced teachers to be culled from the list
7. Miss Orr desires larger salary
Material for Mrs Cady
Miss Indian sends money for Alaska
Meeting on Annual Meeting

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee on Tuesday,Feb 28th at 10.30 A.M. Meeting opened by reading of Scripture by Mrs James and short prayers from all present. Those attending were Mrs James,Mrs Crosby,Mrs Hemenway,Mrs Parsons,Miss Peck,Mrs Rob Roberts,Mrs Miller,Mrs Pierson,Miss Lincoln and Mrs Brownell.

The need being felt of a card notice of our regular business meetings as well as of our prayer meetings,a resolution was passed that such a card be prepared and circulated.

Miss Mc Bride of Zuni,N.M. writes that the church in Zanesville ,Ohio would be willing to send them a box if we approve. Motion carried that this request be granted. Miss De Sette reports the school full to overflowing,and makes suggestions as to the clothing sent in the boxes. No white skirts,sleeves long er,pockets etc. She also writes of the great comfort and good derived from the calendar which often in their press of work is the only literature possible to them;and she instanced many case where the selections seemed strangely appropriate to the emergency of the day. She wants a kodak no other kind of camera being sufficiently rapid to suit her much filled time. The kodak needed by Miss De Sette is to be referred to the New Brunswick society.

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Mr Carter writes from Agua de Lobo,N.M. hope that she may appeal to Christian Endeavor societies for an organ greatly needed.

Miss Allison,Santa Fe,N.M. writes that she thinks the school

should have a name other than Miss Allison's school. Thinks the hot water heating system will be sufficient,although no very cold weather has yet been tested. She has found a very good man who tends the furnace and does many other things for room and board. Two of the teachers and five of the scholars have recently professed Christ. The teachers were young girls non-commissioned. She begs for Miss Turney a commission to pre sent to her on her birthday which will soon be here,as she is now doing very good work. She says the clothes are so well patched by Miss Manning that it is difficult to find any old rags for cleaning,and they present many of them much the appear ance of Joseph's coat.

Miss Manning writes of the Christian character of the girls and young teachers just professing Christ,that they seem so ear nest and devoted.

Miss Campbell writes of the burning of the church at Harlan Court House,Ky. They are all greatly saddened by this catastro phe. Their school was held in the church building,it was a rude rough building but their home. The school was prosperous, and they were very happy in it. They went into the public schoo building now vacant and 75 pupils attended the day after the fire. They cannot but look forward and feel they must have a building before another year. It is a place most truly needing a church. Dr Roberts thinks we should hold on there. Miss Lin

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Mrs Miller thinks Mrs Davis is greatly overworking and is not doing as good work as formerly because of her weariness. Mo tion carried that as soon as possible a conference be held with the secretaries on the subject of our speakers on the field, thei number and salaries paid them, as well as the method of payment.

The School Committee at their last meeting heartily approve of the appointment of a general superintendent of the school department, said superintendent to be an officer of the Board, and the medium of communication between the Board and Women's Mx. Com at a salary of $2500 paid by Women's Mx.Com. Rev Mr Mc Afee of Sisseton, S. Dak has been chosen for this office.

For the Boy's Farm School at Asheville, N.C. we have in hand or insight pledged to the amount of $20,000 for the land and buildings, and the Board approve of our issuing stock in $10 shares to the amount of $10,000 for equipment. A motion carried that this stock be at once issued as approved by the Board.

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Our scholarship statement needing revision,a new has been draughted and was read for approval. As the matter properly belongs to the office a motion carried that it be left to the conference on Friday with Mrs Finks.

The subscriptions for Home Mission Monthly coming in with so much rapidity,Mr Bull finds he needs an assistant and at the same conference on Friday the situation will be gone over and a helper considered either temporarily or as a permanency.

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Morris have done there. Motion carried that we need time for investigation of the whole matter before declaring ourselves ready to continue the Omaha work. The Clerks have Mr Deakings room and Mrs Wade and Mrs Heiser are comfortable. Thereare two rooms yet unfurnished which they will need; 28 yards of carpeting for each room, also lamps and toilet sets. They write to know if we will order the furnishings for these two rooms. Motion carried that we request Mr Eaton to grant the supplies needed by Mrs Austin for these two rooms. The room furnished by the King's Daughters may be used for the present.

Mrs Austin speaks of the very pleasant spirit pervading the school. The teacher's kitchen is without a head and this Shedgi is greatly felt as the teachers need well cooked and nourishing food. They also need additional room for the boys. Motion carried that this letter of Mrs Austins be referred to consultation with the secretaries of the Board.

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With regard to Mrs Walker's going into Indian Territory, It was thought that in view of Miss Linnoin's contemplated visit to that territory,this will not be necessary.

The Sewing of Fort Wrangel,Alaska writes that she is so pleased for the organ most times,and asks as to giving music lessons which she finds much desired. Motion carried that we request with Mrs Sewing to ascertain how this can be arranged without being a burden to her.

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Miss Kelsey writes rather discouragingly of her burden of responsibility in charge of so many girls. She feels as though she must have assistance and also begs for the best for the girls which will be a great source of pleasure to them. Resolve to confer with the secretaries of the Board on both these matter

Mrs James read several extracts of letters from presidents of Synodical Societies on the benefit derived from the condensed minutes of our meetings now regularly forwarded to them. A letter from Mrs Oliver of So Dak expresses the same interest in receiving the minutes and tells how much the women of that state are doing for Home Missions, in that they raise more for the support of the churches on their field than they send to us, and together make a very good showing. She incidentally refers to the fact that So Dak is not represented in our Committee but they will nevertheless do the best work they can. Motion carried that if on investigation we feel Mrs Oliver would be an acceptable vicepresident on our Committee her name be presented to the nominating committee at the Annual Meeting. If there should be any objection we secure the name of some one else.

The statement was made by Miss Lincoln that the salaries of all teachers whose reports have been received, have been paid up to date.

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Miss Cox writes the Board asking for $800 per annum. Her commission was first for $500 and $600 from the time she assumed the position of superintendent. The secretaries desire to hold the salary at $500 and a motion was carried that Miss Cox receive this amount from time of taking the position of superintendent.

Miss Walsh has reported at the office that Westchester Presbytery has raised $1200 as a memorial tfor Mrs Cady and propose dividing it between the Home and Foreign Boards, and they desire the amount for the Home work be placed inAlaska. It was suggested at once that the additional dormitory needed for the boys be put up with this money and the name of Cady Hall be given it.

Miss Ludlum having sent $100 to be placed in Alaska, it was decided to use it for the furnishing of a hospital room at Juneau

Meeting adjourned to be followed by meeting on the Annual Meeting

Meeting on the Annual Meeting.

In arranging the program five reports will be in order, from

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Home Mission Monthly
Treasurer
Christian Endeavor

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As full an attendance as possible of synodical presidents, and from these are to be chosen the leaders of the prayer meetings. All day meeting Friday.

Monday morning business meeting, effort to have a popular meeting on Friday May 19th at which Synodical Missionaries will speak.

For speakers at Annual Meeting.

Mrs De Vore on Alaska.
Miss Quillan on Utah.
Miss Stephenson on Mountain Whites.
Miss Beckman on Mexicans
Indians.

As full an attendance as possible of Provincial Presidents, and Zone Chairmen are to be chosen the leaders of the Zone meet-ings. All day meeting Friday.

Monday morning business meeting, effort to have a popular meeting on Friday May 16th at which Provincial Ministerettes will speak.

For speakers at Annual Meeting.

Mrs De Vere on Alaska.
Miss Quillan on Utah.
Miss Stephenson on Mountain States.
Miss Boehmer on Mexicans
Studiers.

Conference with the secretaries on Friday, March 3rd, 1893 at 4 P.M.

Mrs James asked the opinion of the secretaries on the holding of an evening meeting in the interest of Home Missions during General Assembly, in the Church of the Covenant, to be addressed by the Synodical Superintendents. Dr Roberts, finding the only other meeting held on the evening of Friday the will be for the Sunday School work and that in the other church. He therefore saw no objection to the holding of such a meeting by the Woman's Executive Committee.

Mrs James brought up the case of Mr Martin in Utah whose peculiar views are giving occasion for criticism and grievance. Dr Roberts consented to write Mr Martin and beg him to refrain from giving any public expression of his peculiar views.

Mrs Austin's request for more room for the boys at Sitka came next in order. She proposes a wing to the main building. Mrs James informed the secretaries that we had $600 a memorial to Mrs Cady Stanton, which we ask to appropriate to this purpose, as Mrs Cady was much interested in Alaska. Dr Roberts thought there was a vacant building near by which might be added as a wing. Other suggestions were made viz. either to put the teachers over in hospital building and use the rooms vacated by them for the extra pupils, or to put the younger boys there and a matron in charge. A good plank walk could connect the building. These ideas will be laid before Mrs Austin for her opinion.

The need of carpet and toilet sets for two rooms was inquired of, whether Mrs Austin shall be authorized to purchase them of Mr Wadhams of Portland. It was thought the lamps and toilet sets from Portland and the carpet be purchased in this city. The need of a cook for the teachers' mess, was next brought up. There was no objection made and Dr Roberts suggested private inquiries being made. Mrs Pierson thought possibly Miss Graft, who is Swedish and will go as teacher of wood-carving, might know of some Swedish woman who would go.

Mrs James asked as to the ladies of Washington to appeal to President Cleveland and beg him to have the interests of Christian work at heart in making his appointments for Alaska. Dr Roberts thought women could make such appeals without giving any offense.

Mrs James then spoke of the synod of Pennsylvania looking to the women for sustentation support. Dr Roberts expressed himself as not of the opinion that such work comes under our department and advises our holding our position firmly against it. Suggested that our reply might be that we think it wisest to do all we can to help the Board of Home Missions, so that they may be stronger to meet the liabilities often thrown upon them.

Mrs James next brought up the carrying on by the Execu

tive Committee of the Freedmen's work now in the hands of the Freed man's Board. The secretaries were of the opinion that that great work will eventually all come under the Board of Home Missions and that the time is not far distant when with that worl under our care ours will be the largest woman's work carried on in this country.

As to responding to the appeals coming to us to work among the Foreign population of Chicago, the Italians of Penna. and the Jews of New Jersey; Dr Roberts thought we would have to make some exceptions in these cases, inasmuch as the public school system does but little for them. Mr Eaton said that the work given to the women was for the exceptional populations and foreigners are not classed by General Assembly among these. The encouragement therefore to respond to these appeals was not strong but rather left to our judgment.

Then came up the salaries to be paid to our speakers on the field such as Mrs De Vore and Mrs Davis, who are now holding so many meetings at $5 a meeting, that it comes to be a heavy expense to us. The question is whether the better plan would not be to pay them $100 per month for as many months in the year as they shall work for us/they would then be less likely to speak too often and would do better work. Dr Robwert's opinion was that we should try to keep the salaries of these ladies under that sum if possible as there should be a proportionate payment to all our workers and this was making too marked a contrast between field workers and our teachers or employes here. Mrs James thought they might have five dollars a meeting but limit their meetings to twenty in a month.

Conference closed at 5.20 P.M.

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March 7th, 1893

1. Report of Publication Committee.
   Report of Magazine Committee.
   Report of Prayer meeting Committee
2. Report of Education Committee.
   Penasco,N.M. remove school.
   New school at Galisto N.M.
3 Mrs Davis - furnishing rooms. Washington College.
   Dulas Springs.- new teacher
   Miss Parrish as additional teahher at Asheville,N.C.
   Certificates for Boy's Farm School.
   Miss Beekman to come to New York.
4. Letter from full blood Indian pupil
   Resignations of Mr and Mrs Pierson,Tucson Arizona.
   Resignation of Miss Dean,ASheville,N.C. music.
   Mrs Miller's letter to teachers.
   New desk.for the office
5. Mrs Ladd to secure cook for Sitka.
   Enlarging of buildings at Sitka.
   Pictures for Sitka.
6. Mrs Pingry on Advisory Committee.

1. Report of Implementation Committee.
Report of Organizing Committee.
Report of Mayor Meeting Committee.
2. Report of Education Committee.
Penasco, N.M. Pueblo School.
New School at Cerrillos, N.M.
Mrs Davis - Instructing Teacher.
Dulce Pueblo - Mr Trainor
Mrs Arrich on additional teacher at Jemez, N.M.
Certificates for Mr's Adam School.
Mrs [illegible] to be [illegible].
4. Letter from [illegible]
Resignations of [illegible] Indian Stations.
Report [illegible]
Mrs [illegible]
Mr [illegible] office
5. [illegible]
Similar [illegible]
Plots [illegible]
6. The [illegible] of [illegible].

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday March 7th at 10.30 A.M. Meeting opened by usual religious exercises, short prayers following the Bible reading. Minutes of last meeting and Committee on Ways and Means read and approved.

Mrs Miller spoke of the great responsibility just now resting on the office in the selection and sending out of new teachers, and in making the arrangements for the Annual Meeting. She begged all members of the Committee to bear them on their hearts in prayer that they may have divine guidance in all these important matters. Mrs James requested Miss Lincoln to offer prayer with this request of Mrs Miller's in mind.

Report of the Publication Committee recommended the printing of a card for general invitation to missionary meetings for use of Presbyterial Officers. A leaflet of hints to leaflet secretaries is to serve as model was approved.

Committee on Magazine reported that during the month of Februarytthere was more work to be done than during the same month in two previous years. the subscriptions so greatly increasing.

The Committee on Prayer meetings reported that the prayer meeting on the third Tuesday of this month is to be given up to the interests of City missions and we hope to have representatives from that organization give short reports of their work large and interesting meeting is expected.

[illegible] meeting of the Committee on Industrial Relations on Tuesday afternoon at 10.30 A.M. Meeting opened by general religious exercises, short prayers following the Bible reading. Minutes of last meeting and Committee on Tuesday were read and approved.

Mr. Miller [illegible] of the great responsibility just now resting on the office in the collection and sending out of new tracts, and in making the arrangements for the Annual Meeting. Che-[illegible] called attention to the fact that on the 17th there [illegible] in prayer that God may have divine guidance in all these impor-tant meets to. Mr. James [illegible] Mission to Men, [illegible] with this request on Mr. Miller's behalf.

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Mrs Agnew reported on the Education Committee that she can find no manual of primary religious teaching exactly suited to our needs. Mrs Agnew requested that Mrs Greenleaf be added to her Committee as one well fitted to give her assistance. Mrs James hopes that we very soon shall have a Scripture question book hich shall be valuable to our whole church. The regular business meeting was then opened;

Miss Zuver of Penasco,N.M. writes to ask if she may remove her school to a distance of about one and a half miles,as her present location is very unhealthy during the spring months. There are two plazas desiring the school to come to them ,Llano Rio Pueblo where there is a house offered her in either place and she asks our advice as to which she shall choose. A motion was carried that we refer this situation to Mr Menaul for decis ion as he will know best the most desirable points.

A new school is asked for by Mr Menaul at Galisto where there are about 150 children ready for school for the next three months. The school room,house for the teacher and fuel are all ready. It is thought it would make a good feeder for Miss Alli-son's school not far distant. Miss Elder is ready to take this school and is highly recommended by Mr Menaul. In view of the sole expense being the salary of a teacher for three months the secretaries think we might undertake this work as anexperi-ment. Motion carried that we give Mr Menaullpower to open this

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school under the teacher named providing it can be done at once to ensure full three months,and that there shall be no outside expense in equipment.

An interesting letter comes from Mrs Davis who has just been visiting Washington College,and asks whether we will empow_ er her to ask for the furnishing of the rooms in the new build ing. A motion carried that this be left to the office.

Miss Goodrich is doing finely but as it increases they will need another teacher. The building will also have to be enlarged and they are offered $70 of the public school fund to put up a wing. It is thought the $70 offered should go tothe salary of another teacher rather than for the building. The Cleveland people interested could then be asked to put up the addition. As there was some diversity of opinion a motion was carried that this matter be referred to the secretaries in conference.

Miss Laura Parrish a graduate of the Normal School at Asheville is suggested by Miss Stephenson for the additional teacher

Miss Eaton asks as to the certificates to be issued for the equipment of the Boy's Farm School at Asheville,whether they should be printed or engraved. 500 will be needed. Referred to a committee to be appointed later.

Miss Beekman of Las Vegas,N.M. writes that Dr Wishard advis es her to go to New York but that she will unable to try this for another month. This Dr Wishard is a physician and brother of

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the lady of the same name who is to come to our office.Miss Beek man's ankle has now given out from over use in sparing the other and both are now uin plaster casts. Mrs Miller stated that Miss Mc Nair will take Miss Beekman's place in the school room and Miss Mc Naughton now inthe kitchen will act as matron., a tempo rary cook can be obtained for the emergency and Miss Beekman therefore enabled to come to New York as soon as she is able. A motion was supported that Miss Beekman be allowed rto engage such help in the kitchen as will permit her to make an arrange- ment that will most relieve her mind and permit her visit east.

Mrs Miller read a very nice letter from an Indian pupil,a full blood,showing the appreciation in which our schools are held by the Indians.

Mr and Mrs Pierson of Tucson,Arizona , have sent in their resignations to take effect the end of this year. As the secre- taries recommend these resignations were accepted.on motion.

Miss Dean teacher of music in the Normal Institute also sends in her resignation. This resignation accepted on motion.

Mrs Miller read letter prepared to send to teachers asking that they inform the Executive Committee by April 1st whether they will retain their positions during the coming year! MOtion carried approving the letter and empowering Mrs Miller to send it out as soon as possible.

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on her arrival and four new chairs are needed in the reception room. Motion carried that we approve the purchase of the neces sary furniture and appeal to Mr Eaton to furnish what is needed in consultation with one of our secretaries. Miss Lincoln also mentioned that her desk is in need of repair and revarnishing and a motion was carried that this necessary matter be paid for.

A motion was carried that Mrs Ladd of Portland, Oregon be em powered to secure a cook for the teacher's mess in Sitka at a salary of not more than $30 a month and that she be empowered to send such an one at once.

Mrs James mentioned the opinion of the secretaries that we go to no further expense in enlarging the buildings at Sitka for the accommodations of the small boys. They think we can utilize some other room there, in the hospital building or elsewhere. This in view of Government gradually withdrawing aid to these schools. Mrs James stated that the class rooms was harrow and and porrly lighted and it seemed to her that we should have a different room for this purpose. A motion was carried that we have a consultation with the secretaries on this subject.

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on her arrival and that her e eits are needed in the dining room. Motion carried that we do not have the services of the house mother, Mrs. Lamontagne and a call to her house to inform what is needed. Mrs. Lamontagne also consultation with one of our home leaders. Miss Lincoln also mentioned that her duties in the kitchen at Hayes and Wallingford and a motion was carried that she be accordingly paid for.

A motion was carried that the chairman be empowered to secure a cook for the Goodwill's home in Tilton at a salary of not more than $10 a week and that she be allowed to hire a housemother to help out at Tilton.

Mrs. Lamontagne then gave a report of the Goodwill's work in Tilton at the present time, stating that a committee had been appointed to look into the matter of the Goodwill's work in Tilton and to make a report to the Board at a later date.

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A motion carried approving the nomination of Mrs Dr Pingry of Elizabeth,N.J. on the Advisory Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 1 P.M.

A motion carried unanimously that the resignation of Mrs. Dr. Finney of Elizabeth,N.J. on the Advisory Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 1 P.M.

March 14th, 1893

1. Boat for Alaska.
Fannie Willard.
Interpreter for Ft Wrangell,Alaska.
Howcan,Alaska. Severe winter.
Salary of Fannie Willard.
Carrying magazine matter to mail.
2 Letter from Mrs Boynton,of Iowa.
Alaskan maps.
Mr Mc Afee as School Superintendent.
Scholarships for Wheelock,Ind Ter
3 Expenses of Miss Grant from Tucson,Arizona.
Resignation of Miss Marshall,San Luis,Colo
Work at Mora,N.M.
4. Miss Goodrich will leave her work in April.
Harlan Court House. continuance.
Freedmen speakers at Annual Meeting
5. School at Tullulah,Ga.
Exhibitat World's Fair.
6. World's Missionary Committee at Chicago.Ills.
Arrangements for Annual Meetingat Washington
Christian Endeavor work at General Assembly.
Points given speakers from various fields.
Conference with Secretaries before May
7. Presiding officer at Annual Meeting of W.E.C.
Mrs Moore to present Indian work.
Dulas Springs.
8' Rev G.F.Mc Afee's successor.
Harlan Court House ,Ky.
St George,Utah
Interpreter for Mrs Thwing. Fred Moore.
Secretaries on C.E. meeting in Washington.
9 Mrs Baker to have a new desk.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee on Tuesday March 14th at 10.30 A.M. Meeting opened by regular religious exercises.

Mrs Pierson reported that nearly enough money is in for the boat for Alaska.

Mrs Pierson also reported the engagement of Fannie Willard to a native Alaskan.

Mrs Thwing writes of a young Alaskan,Blanche Lewis about returning,whom they would like for interpreted and helper in the home. Dr Thwing however is doubtful of the wisdom of this step as he seems to have a prejudice against eastern education for the native Alaskans. It was concluded that there could be no objection to sending on the younggirl provided she should receiv from here explicit directions as to her duties andbearing in the Home. This was put as a motion and carried.

Mr Gould writes from Howcan they are impatient for the win ter to be over,as many nights ait has been difficult to keep the children warm,the wood stoves not being of any service at night She asks for an extra supply of bedding and this will be put be fore societies at once,freight going there only three times a year.

A motion was carried that the salary of Miss Fannie Willard be increased to $500 after March 1st 1893,that being the salary of our otherteachers at Sitka.

Mrs Finks asked as to the carrying of the magazine to mail

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by Thomas, the office boy, that it gives him a little extra work and she thinks as his pay is small a slight increase would be acceptable. A motion was carried that hereafter he receive $1.50 a week instead of $1. as heretofore, the extra fifty cents coming out of the magazine fund.

Pleasant letter read from Mrs Boynton of Iowa as to the impression left on her by sitting through a session of the Woman's Executive Committee, and noting the careful and prayerful consideration given to each point in turn. Tributes are constantly coming in as to the profit received from the receipt of the condensed minutes of our meetings by Synodical Presidents.

Mors Alaskan maps being needed, a motion carried that such a number be ordered as the office deem advisable and we ask that the lithographic stones be preserved for us as longaas possible

Mr MC Afee our proposed Secretary of School work writes in answer to the proposal made to him, that while he cannot feel the Woman's Executive Committee and the Board have made the wisest possible choice, he is most sensible of the honor conferred upon him and will put his best ehergies into his new work. He stands ready to come to us as soon as the Board shall supply his place.

Mr Robe writes regarding the scholarships for pupils in their school, Wheelock, Ind Ter,; they are not advisable, as the Choctaws stand ready to pay tuition, and the funds solicited

might better go towards his own and the teacher's salaries. Motion carried that in the Wheelock school and all others similarly situated, the scholarships shall be replaced by shares which can go towards the teacher's salaries, and that the whole subject of scholarships shall receive careful consideration with a view to future action.

Miss Grant who left Tucson, Arizona and came to New York some time ago asks as to the payment of the traveling expenses east as well as to Albuquerque when first taking up the work. Motion carried that Miss Grant's expenses east be paid by herself but the journey to the field be paid by us. As to the payment of teacher's traveling expenses only when starting for the field and this limited sum being sometimes insufficient for emergencies, a motion made and carried that this matter be left to the secretaries in conference with School Committee.

Miss Marshall of San Luis, Colo has resigned and Dr Kirkwood recommended Etta Allen to fill her place. Mrs Miller having the correspondence in hand supported this decision of Dr Kirkwood and on presenting it to the Executive Committee her action was supported.

Miss Bloom having left the work at Mora, N.M. Mrs Rice has been teaching in her place having been placed there by Mr Menaul Motion carried that we approve this appointment of Mr Menaul.

Miss Goodrich writes that she will leave her work on April 4th and asks if Miss Marston may fill the remainder of the time as the boys are already dropping off. Miss Marston's six months engagement is up May 5th and she asks if she may close the schoo earlier owing to the non attendance of the boys. Motion carried that Miss Marston be asked to continue the school for her full six months. Miss Peck suggested that Miss Goodrich be asked to talk on the Mountain Whiteswork at the Annual Meeting as well as Miss Stephenson. The suggestion was received with approval and Miss Goodrich will be written to to this effect.

Mrs Malone writes begging that we will continue the work at Harlan Court House as it is wonderful to see a school attend ance of one hundred and seven (107) where the young men first going to hear Mr Mc Kee preach carried loadad fire-arms with the to prevent the service. There is no insurance possible to se-cure onthe church building burned as the premiums have not been paid. Mrs Ingalls proposes that we write the Presbyteries of Kentucky to see how far they are able to contribute towards building a chapel school house and promise to supplement the re-mainder. Motion made that we decide to rebuild at Harlan Court House and Miss Lincoln was asked to write to these societies in conference with the secretaries and strive to gain the co-opera tion of the Synodical Superintendent.

Mrs Coulter writes to know how many speakers they will be

entitled to send to the Annual Meeting; she would suggest Lucy Laney as their best woman speaker. Mr Savage delegate to the Assembly, she thinks would be very acceptable as a speaker. Motion carried that we approve of Miss Laney as speaker at our meeting, and their best delegate for our evening meeting be decided upon.

A project has come up as to starting a school at Tullulah, Ga and the matter was left with Mrs Mason for correspondence. The destitution and ignorance is not quite so marked as Mrs Newton depicts perhaps. but thinks there is greatly needed an active man and his wife to do missionary work in that neighborhood, and begs us to send such helpers to them. Motion carried that we ask Mrs Mason to continue the correspondence and give Mr Timpson to understand that what he proposes does not come under our line of work but promising to bring the case before the Spring Conference.

Letter from Mr Hale as to the exhibit to be made by the Board and Woman's Executive Committee at the World's Fair. He thinks an exhibit should be made of as many photographs of our schools and specimens of our school work as we feel inclined to send, also a goodly number of totem poles, etc. from Alaska. Indeed anything short of a school in active operation will be gladly exhibited. A motion carried that we confer with the secretaries of the Board as to what they would like us to do, our ef-

forts in this line made some time ago having brought no results.

Mrs James read a letter from Miss Abby Childs chairman of the World's Missionary Committee to be held in Chicago, stating that twenty-five delegates could be sent from our Committee and two topics on Home Missions suggested for discussion. Action was deferred for further consideration.

Mrs Hamlin writes from Washington that she is completing arrangements for the Annual Meeting and asks as to reporter, stenographer etc. Miss Peck suggested that a n otice be put upon our program of the meeting of the Foreign Ladies Board on Monday, ours coming on the previous Friday.

Miss Lincoln was asked to ascertain from the secretaries their intentions as to holding an evening meeting in the interests of the Christian Endeavor work and whether they would have us unite with them in this.

Mrs James expressed the opinion that our speakers on the various fields should have points given them to present in their addresses so that the most important only should be presented.

A motion carried that we ask the Board if they would favor holding a conference with us before the May conference to decide our future relations with the Government and other matters.

Mrs James in the name of the Woman's Executive Committee congratulated the Rec Sec on the fact that her daughter took highest honors at Bryn Mawr College which involves a European scholarship. (This was not recorded by the recording secretary)

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The question was asked as to who should be asked to preside at the evening meeting in Washington, Friday May 19th for addres ses dfrom Synodical Superintendents. It was decided that Dr Rob erts would be the most asseptable as presiding officer, and the matter was left with Mrs Roberts in consultation with Dr Roberts

Mrs Moore will be asked to present the Indian work at our Annual Meeting and Mr Mc Afee we hope will present the same work at the evening meeting. Motion carried that as to our represen tation of the Mexican work we give it thought for another week.

Motion carried that Miss Docking be requested to resign at once and remain in Tulsa only so long as her health necessi- tates.

The Sec retaries of the Board coming in at 4 P.M. the first point was the appointment of a third teacher at Dulas Springs N.C. They must put up an addition to the building therefore would not need the teacher till the beginning of the next year. This met with the approval of the Secretaries. Mrs James next sked the advice of the Secretaries as to theextent of the aid we shall accept from the Government in the future. Dr Roberts re- plied we could not expect to drop alithe aid from Governement at once. It would have to be done gradually so that the Indians themselves should not suffer, nor does he think Mr Morgan would advise it! Mr Boyd stated the appropriations would not close for this year till July 1st so there was still time to consider it

it,the Secretaries thought a conference would be well on this subject before the May conference when each school could be taken up in turn.

Mr Boyd reported there were two men in mind in Minnesota possibly fitted to take Mr Mc Afee's place in Sisseton. The latter will be asked to visit the Omaha Agency on his way here to get all the information possible.with a view oto our continuing the work there.

Mrs James presented the building of a school-house at Harlan Court House. This was approved by the Secretaries. Dr Roberts thought it would be well to write the Synodical Superintendent to ask about the ground and whether the organization will remain the same as before. He thought a room for the teachers could be added to the church building.

As to St George,Utah Dr Wishard is looking for a man for the place and when he is found there will be no objection to putting up the building. This can be appealed for.

Mrs James thenasked as to the native interpreter and helper for Mrs Thwing and what should be done with Fred More. Mr Boyd said he had been written to regarding his course and though that on the opening of the school in the fall he would probably work in again all right. It would be well however not to commit ourselves.

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it, the instructions thought a contractor would be full of this subject before the lecture was over. When such school could be taken up in time.

He then proceeded to show how in mind in kindergarten possibly intend to take in the child's mind in creation. The lecturer will be asked to visit the Kindergarten on Monday to get all the necessary action for the children's visit to our country for the week.

He then gave a short talk on a school-house at Bar Harbor Maine. This was illustrated by the lecture. He then said he thought it would be well to write to Dr. Physical Culture to ask about it. Mr. Mr. Mr. for the organization will run the same as before. He thought a town for the business could be added to the office of the Kindergarten.

As to the lecture, Miss Adams in 10 minutes a man for the place and then in 10 minutes will be objection to the up the small ing. This can be arranged for.

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Motion carried that Mrs Baker have a new desk,giving Miss Rue the old one. Miss Lincoln also will have a new desk and the one she has used will be given to Miss Wishard.

Meeting adjourned at quarter of five.

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Organ for Ft Wrangell,Alaska

Special objects . Treasurer.

Interpreter for Dr Thwing,Ft Wrangell,Alaska.

Repairs for Wewoka,Ind Ter.

Resignation of Miss F.Docking

Organizing societies in Ind Ter by Mrs Humes

2. Site selection for new building at Penasco,N.M.

Miss Hammond of Guatemala, can enter our work.

Miss Goodrich,Dulas Springs,N.C.

Washington College,Tenn - Building

Leaflet on Asheville Farm School. Dr Dodge

Rates to Washington. Annual Meeting.

Specimen copy of bound volume H.M.M.1892

Mrs Davis allowed circulars for her work

World's Fair

3 Vice Presidents from So Dak

Renting of Albuquerque building.

Help in literature department.

Documents from Hampton.

Mrs Tucker. Advisory Committee

Letter of sympathy to Mrs E.F.Shepard.

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee Tuesday March 28th.

Letter from Mr Austin, Sitka, Alaska, suggesting that wood be purchased now, in order that it be perfectly seasoned for use in the fall, when Miss Krafft would be read to make use of it as teacher of wood carving. Resolution - That Mr Austin be authorized to purchase the same - quantity left to his decision and Mr Eatons.

Resolution - That Mrs De Vore be instructed to plead as a "special" the amount requisite for an organ for Fort Wrangell.

Resolution - That the list of special objects be examined by our treasurer and that she prepare for the magazine and paper any plea for special objedts.

Miss Blanche Lewis, not being available for Ft Wrangell, a r resolution was passed that Dr Thwing be advised to take one of the young girls from the Sitka school, if he thought such a plan would be advisable.

Resolution passed that we concur in the action of School Committee in appropriating $500 for repairs at Wewoka - asking that further investigation be made.

Resignation from Miss Fannie Docking, Tulsa, Ind Ter asking for written acceptance of same. Motion carried accepting her res ignation.

Resolution passed that Mrs Hume of Anadarko, Ind Ter be asked to travel in Ind Ter. organizing societies, remuneration fo same to be left with Mrs James.

Letter from #enasco N.M. from Miss Zuver, asking that a site be selected for building. Resoluion - that we ask Mr Menaul to select the site and prepare for building.

Miss Hammond, formerly of a teacher of Guatemala, C.O. is free and can be engaged for one of our schools. Dr Gillespie will have the address.

Communication from Miss Goodrich of Dulas Springs will continue the work there; Work very encouragingCannot be at Annual Meeting - expects to sail for Europe on May 2nd.

Motion passed that the amount needed for completion of building at Washingtin College, Tenn be supplemented from Building fund, and replaced when collected.

Resolution passed that Mr Dodge be asked to prepare for circulation leaflet on the Asheville Farm School.

Letter from Dr Roberts, Stated Clerk in regard to rates to Washington for Annual Meeting. Referred to Mr Eaton.

Specimen copy of the new bound volume of the magazine of 1892 was displayed, price 80cents.

Resolution that Mrs L.A.Davis be allowed to have circulars printed for he use, embodying some of the testimonials she has received. These to be sent in advance of her - to prepare the way for her address.

Resolution - That we have a conference with Secretaries in reference to exhibit at World's Fair. After a conference with

the Secretaries - it was resolved that we take charge of the Home Mission Exhibit asking the Board to appropriate a sum not exceeding $1000 for that purpose.

Adjourned from 1.30 to 2.30

Reassembled in Dr Roberts room.

Mrs Oliver of So Dak. writes recommending the wife of the Synodical Superintendent as our Vice-President from that Synod. Motion carried that Mrs Oliver herself be asked to serve, as well as the lady she proposes.

Motion carried that the building at Albuquerque be rented to the Roswell Military Academy according to recommendations of the Secretaries of the Board.

Motion carried that Mrs Hill be allowed to engage help at a dollar a day for the literature dissemination, rendering a month ly statement.

Motion carried that the documents from Hampton regarding credits to scholars, be referred to Mrs Honeyman for adaptation to our work.

Mrs Tucker who has been asked to serve on the Advisory Committee writes that she is unable to serve.

Motion carried that resolutions of sympathy be conveyed to Mrs Elliott F. Shepard, by Mrs James.

Meeting adjourned at 3.30 P.M.

APRIL 4th,1893

1. Miss Quillan. Brief account of outlook in Utah
2. Kindergarten in our schools in Utah
2. Mrs Tompkins name on Advisory Committee
Report of literature Committee
Letter from Mr Whitlock,N.M.
3. Miss Childs and the Utes
Leaflets to purchase. Small maps ready and band leaflet.calen
Sitka.Alaska teachers encouraged
Mr Mc Afee at Annual meeting
Mrs Granger,Las Cruces,N.M. ill
Miss Allisonasks for leave of absence
Mrs Thompson. Rebuilding at Pena Blanca
Dr Sheldon Jackson reports work of grace in Alaska
5. New station at Kitchkan
Klawack would be important
No permanent missionary at Pt Barrow
6.Alaska matters Dr Jackson
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8. Mrs Hill prepare a report of her work.
9. Mrs Coulter suggests speakers for annual meeting
Mr Cook wants two Indian helpers.
Mrs Walker represent Ex Com at Chicago
Miss Childs regardingWoman's Congress.
Dr Wishard regarding closing of schools
0. Miss Buchanan & Miss Mc Cullough,vacation.
Mr Finks to take photographs of schools.
Correspondence regarding photographs from Alaska,Ashe.and oth

Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee Tuesday, April 4th 1893; Mrs James presiding, a goodly number of ladies present. A half hour's devotional meeting gave opportunity for most of the ladies present to offer prayer. Several friends from out of town met with the Committee among them Mrs Sinclair of Phila and Mrs Childs of Washington, D.C.

Miss Quillan being present gave a brief account of the outlook in Utah. The point she most pressed was the dining-hall for Hungerford Academy at Springville, $850 still being needed for this purpose. She reported a spread of religious interest, the schools being fuller and the Mormon children attending in large numbers. She begged that in view of the possibly near admittance of Utah as a state in the Union, we do not consider for a moment the diminishing of our work there. While true that the public schools are improving, still the Christian training of our Mission schools should be increased to pave the way for the success of the ministers of the Gospel. Defined the differ ence between the temple and the tabernacle. In the former only the latter-day saints are allowed to enter, and their smost sol emn rites observed. The services of the t4bernacle on the other hand are for the mass ofthe people.

Mrs Pierson read a letter from Salt Lake City urging the formation of kindergarten departments in our schools through

Utah. The Mormons already arestarting them and reaching the very young whom we ought to gather.

Reports from Committees.

NOMINATING Com. presented Mrs Tompkins of Dr Hall's church as a new member of the Advisory Committee.

Mrs Hill then reported on the circulation of literary matter among our missionaries in the west. Mrs Hill stated that she could fill a long time in giving her report as the work had assumed such large proportions. She receives many interesting letters,many of them pathetic in their appeals for almost anything to read. The result of giving out these names toso large a number awakens interest where none before has existed. Acquaintance with the missionaries opens eyes to the needs of these faithful laborers and in one case a communion service was sent out; in another a pulpit Bible,and there is no telling how widespread is the good done to recipients not only but to those whos interest has been awakened.

Mrs Adams read extracts of a letter from Mr Whitlock N.M. (native evangelist). He reports nine mew members in their little church,causing the Romish priest to say "that sly fox has secured souls who will be forever lost",shame upon us." Mr Whitlock trims bonnets and makes dresses,thus winning hearts to the work. Gave inyeresting account of a celebration they were

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to have with addresses and refreshments.

Mrs Childs of Washington being present was asked by Mrs James to tell somethingof the Utes among whom she and her husband had visited. The evangelist who is now at work among them is a native Mexican and is one of the few who can speak the Ute language. He finds much encouragement in his work which he pussues following them about from place to place. Mrs Childs said the old men were of immense size and looked most impressive doubled up on the floor and wrapped in their blankets listening to the word of life.

Mrs Pierson read letter from Mr Rodriguez the evangelist, referred to by Mrs Childs which gave most interesting accounts of his conversations with the Utes.

Mrs Pierson handed two leaflets to Mrs Parsons which Miss Eaton thought it would be well to purchase. Mrs Parsons reported from Committee on Publication that the small maps are in readiness and recommended a little leaflet for Bands called seed-sowing. She begged for a near decision as to whether or no we would have a calendar for another year.

Mrs James reported a revival going on in Sitka and the encouragement gained from the arrival of the new teachers.

Mrs Pierson reported hearing from Mr Mc Afee regarding speaking for us at our Annual Meeting. Further information will be given him.

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Mrs Granger is lying very ill at Las Cruces, and her daughter with an assistant is filling her place very acceptably. She would like the assurance that her salary will be continued during her illness. As to this and the payment of her assistant as well. the matter will be left to the office with power for further investigation.

Miss Allison asks for leave of absence for six or eight weeks during the summer months. Motion carried that Miss Allison be granted this leave of absence.

Mrs Thompson asking for advice as to rebuilding at Pena Blanca - more information has been secured and it is found best to drop this point where there is so much opposition and move to Placitas only a short distance away.

Dr Sheldon Jackson reported a precious work of grace which commenced at Fort Simpson in British America and which like a tidal wave has swept over Alaska. It first reached the farthest station. Hoonah where Rev John Mc Farland has labored faithfully for years with few results, instructing the people and following them in the summer to their fishing stations. Last winter the blessing came and in this village having a population of only from three to five hundred, 147 have united with the church. In Mr Austin's church at Sitka there were 341 communicants previous to this work of grace. Probably thirty or forty more will soon be added to this church.

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This is a time of great rejoicing throughout Alaska. Mr Gould writes that there is also a work of grace at Jackson and Hydah. It is a time of reaping as well as of seed-sowing. Throughout th the entire country about 2oo have been added tothe church.

A new station is needed at Kitchkan and three new missionaries for south eastern Alaska. A Presbyterian physician and his wife at Sault St Marie,S Wisconsin are anxious to go to Alaska.

A station at Klawack would be of great importance as an aid to our missionaries at Jackson fifty miles away; Mr Edwards was murdered last year and the people are still mourning for a teach er at KaKe; if one can be sent Government will pay $900 towards his salary as a teacher.

Dr Jackson recommends that another missionary be sent to Kitchkan or Tongasnareaws. A salmon cannery is located here about fourteen miles from Mr Duncan's Metlakathla station. Four teen of Mr Duncan's young men have promised to colonize the new station. It was in the attempt to locate here that Louis Paul lost his life by drowning.

We have no permanent missionary at Point Barrow. Mr Steven son has remained two years and is willing to stay another year; when the house is put up he will return home. It appears that Mr Beaupre had intended to remain pnly three years. It should be a subject of prayer that a good man and his wife may be led to accept this post for their life work. It is necessary that

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every four or five years such missionaries should come home to remain a year,but they should accept the call as for life. Befor much good is accomplished the language must be acquired.

Rev Mr Kilbuck the Moravian missionary has better control of the language than the natives. Dr Driggs is located at Point Hope 220 miles north of Behring Straits ans 500 miles south of Point Barrow. Nine miles from him there is a whaling station where only wicked men congregate. Dr Driggs lives alone two miles from the nearest native house. His station was located here because no drinking water could be found elsewhere. Here the thermometer ranges from 30 to 70 degrees in winter and fierc arctic storms sweep the country,yet so anxious are the people to attend service and to receive instruction that they face the storms and come four miles to service and to school. New missionaries can do little at first for the natives except in the way of trade. Much time is needed to gain a command of the language so as to be able to communicate religious ideas. Some words are altogether wanting wherewith to communicate suxh ideas. Dr Jackson has no doubt that when the people understand he Gospel invitation they will accept it at once.

In response to questions Dr Jackson stated that there are two Roman Catholic stations on the great Yukon river. The priest are not zealous and he thinks they have no hold upon the natives In the large Roman Catholic boarding school having Government

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aid at Kosotinsky six sisters of the order of St Ann are in charge; their mother house is in Montreal. They are women of great culture and refinement and must have great devotion. They are doing the same work that we are doing at Sitka. They are making an impression. The head priest in the Alaska work is a Frenchman; he exerts great influence. Another marked man is a Jesuit who is also exerting influence. The third is named Barnum also a strong man.

The Romanists are trying to possess the whole country and to head off the Moravians, but Dr Jackson thinks that they will not succeed. The Greek church is makinga similar effort. Some English missionaries have been living on fish for the last thirty years, except a small quantity of flour allowed them and occasionally a little bear or reindeer meat. This is owing to the high rates of freight. Four bags of flour make a ton and the freight on one barrel of flour from San Francisco is $50. It is said that one clergyman added to his liturgy "From high rates, good Lord deliver us."

Bishop Bompas and his wife are unable during the winter to remain at the same station for want of sufficient food; Mrs Bompas is obliged to remove a considerable distance 200 or 300 miles during the winter. Moss onwhich the reindeer of Lapland live grows to about the height of three inches and after being cropped off it will not grow again in seven years so the

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people must be migratory. The farther north one goes the less snow is found, only about three inches falls owing to the intense cold; there is no timber found within 100 or 200 miles of Point Barrow. The natives have a roving spirit; they cannot keep at work for more than six months. Fannie Willard is an exception, she will pay for a dozen failures; we cannot expect too much from those just coming out of heathendom. We must have patience with them. Mr Jones is Government teacher and missionary at Kilisnoo; it is exceedingly important that he get possession of Kake; the Romish priest has his eye upon the place. If he baptizes the natives he will say that we are proselyting his people. Dr Harris U.S.Commissioner of Education maintains the view that aid from Government is not sectarian aid, but helps only industries for the amount allowed each school does not really pay for the secular part of the work. The much needed missionaries for Point Barrow cannot be gotten except through more prayer.

'Resolution : That Mrs Hill prepare a report of her work and present it at one of the conference meetings at Washington. On motion Mrs Hill was asked to confer with Miss Wishard in regard to her taking part of the work, that relating to C.E. socie ties; in the mean time Mrs Hill will be authorized to employ a young lady to take charge for ten days.

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Letter from Mrs Coulter suggesting that Mrs Satterfield as well as Miss Lucy Laney represent the Freedmen's work at the Annual Meeting. On motion Mrs Satterfield be invited,part of Miss Laney's time be given her.

Letter from Mr Cook asking for two Indian helpers; the Boardask that we assume Mr Cook's salary and that of the two pro posed helpers. On motion action was deferred till close of fiscal year.

On motion - That Mrs James communicate with Mrs Walker in regard to representing the Woman's Executive Committee at Chicago on May 5th.

A letter from Miss Child referring to a meeting to be held in September - first session Friday Sep 29th antedating the Woman's Congress. Suggestion that we communicate with Miss Child and say that we will send representatives; we will send 25 delegates. In answer to the call for topics the following were giv en - How can we best create and sustain an interest in Home Mis sion work among the women of our land?

How best to combine educational.missionary.and industrial training on Home Mission fields?

A letter from Dr Wishard of Utah asking for a decision in regard to closing some of the schools earlier. Referred to a resolution adopted that the schools should be open and closed at stated times.

Letters from Miss Buchanan and from Miss Mc Cullough in regard to vacation. Referred to Mrs Miller to be considered with others on her list.

Mrs Roberts made a motion that Mr Finks be sent to the Home Mission field to take photographs of suchschools &c as should seem advisable. Carried.

Mrs Roberts was asked to correspond with the Alaska,Ashevil Whitehall and Sisseton schools in reference to photographs of schools in those places.

Minutes of meetings held March 21st & March 28th were read and approved.

Meeting adjourned at 4.45

APRIL 11th,1893

Mrs Stowell added to vice-presidents
Mrs Charles B.Farwell's name added to vice presidents
Mrs Roberts name transferred from Ills to N.Y.
Mrs L.A.Davis be addéd to Kansas
Mrs H.B.Carson and Mrs J.S.Oliver to So Dak
Mrs Stitt resigns
Mrs Vedder also be added.
Mrs Stowell asks for methods. See about V'P. from Washington
Proposition to change name of Ex Com
Mrs Baker responsible for type written matter
Mrs Kelly to lead devotional meeting May 29
Programs.
Mrs Satterfields name be added to V'P.
Mrs MC Crea to preside at meeting for election of officers
Mrs Roberts to preside meeting for conference
Mrs Davis invited to Annual meeting.
Mrs Stitt read Scriptures &c &c
Matters pertaining to annual meeting
Miss White of Idaho closingschool earlier than usual
Calendar ordered for 94
Placards for hotels regarding Asheville schools
Mrs Cole N.J. member of Advisory Committee

Mrs Cotrell added to vice-presidents
Mrs Charles B.Terrell's name added to vice presidents
Mrs Robertie name transferred from Ills to N.Y.
Mrs L.A.Davis be added to Kansas
Mrs H.D.Gerson and Mrs G.E.Oliver to So Dak
Mrs Stitt reports
Mrs Voss's name be added.
Mrs Cotrell [illegible] resolution. Sec short V'P. from Washington
Proposition to change name of Mx Com
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Mrs Davis invited to Annual meeting.
Mrs Stitt read Corresp. So So
Matters pertaining to annual meeting
Miss White of Idaho closing school earlier than usual
Calendar ordered for 91
Placards for hotels - Pacific Academy schools
Mrs Cole N.J. member of Advisory Committee

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee held on Tuesday April 11th 1893.

Mrs A.W.Stowell of Portland,Oregon to be added to the list of Vice-presidents and that of Mrs Smick to be retained.

Motion carried that Mrs Charles B.Farwell's name be added to Illinois- That Mrs W.C.Roberts'name be transferred from the Synod of Illinois to Synod of New York. That Mrs L.A.Davis be added to Synod of Kansas. Mrs H.B.Carsonaand Mrs J.S.Oliver for South Dakota.

Mrs James reported a letter from Mrs Stitt who said she would be present at Annual Meeting and then resign. It was decided that she be asked to remain as Vice-president.

Mrs Pierson's motion that Mrs Vedder who is President of the Synodical Society of Wisconson be added to our list.

Mrs Stowell asks for information in regard to methods. suggestion that Mrs Stowell be asked to see that we have a Vice president from Washington.

Mrs Roberts announced that she was going to propose something revolutionary - to change the name of Woman's Executive Committee. Subject for future thought.

Motion carried that the type on type writer be renewed

Motion carried that Mrs Baker be responsible for the appearance of all the type written matter which goes out of the office

Motion that we have devotion at meeting at 9.30 on May

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19th to be led by Mrs Kelly of Washington.

Miss Peck suggested that as soon as the programes be ready, word be sent to chairman of Committee of Arrangements. Motion carried that in the afternoon we have responsive readings - the matter selected to be left to Mrs Pierson.

Motion carried that Mrs Satterfield's name be added to the list of Vice-presidents.

Motion carried that Mrs Mc Crea be invited to preside at the meeting for election of officers and Synodical Reports on Tuesday May 23rd.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs W.C.Roberts preside at meeting for conference.

Motion carried that Mrs Davis be invited to attend the Annual meeting - to speak on Tuesday afternoon in connedtion with Synodical reports.

Motion carried that Mrs Stitt read the Scriptures and Mrs Hamlin offer prayer at the opening meeting at Washington - that Mrs Martin make the second prayer.

On motion the report of the general Secretary be first in order.

2. Report of schools

Hymn, one verse.

3. Report of Freedmen's work.

4. Report of Treasurer, followed by hymn.

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On motion Mrs De Vore to speak on Alaska - twenty minutes be given.

Motion carried that Miss Dox of Boston be asked to address the meeting at the rooms on Tuesday next April 18th.

On motion Miss Moore to speak at Annual meeting on the Indians and Mrs Barrett of Iowa make the closing prayer. Bene diction by Mr Mc Afee.

On Motion the afternoon meeting begin with responsive readings led by Mrs James. Mrs Stevenson of California offer prayer - Mrs Davis as alternate. Following the prayer Mrs James address - Hymn - Literature and Young People. Solo by Mrs Yale. (Mrs Roberts to write to Mrs Yale) An hour with our Missionaries, Miss Laney and Miss Quillan. Motion that Dr Wishard be asked to speak. Collection - Prayer and benediction by Dr Roberts.

Mrs James read some useful hints in regard to the conduct of Annual Meetings.

Mrs Finks presented a letter from Miss White of Idaho asking for advice in regard to closing her school in May and go to Cook County Normal School. It was not thought advisable to for the school to be closed earlier than the usual time. Conversation followed in regard to the closing of schools. Motion carried that the time for closing of schools be left with the office in consultation with Secretaries of the Board

On motion of Mrs Roberts it was ordered that a calendar be printed this year.

Meeting adjourned at one.

Mrs Honeyman read a letter from Asheville in reference to placards for the hotels - in order that visitors might know when to visit the schools. On motion of Mrs Miller the matter was referred to the Publication Committee.

On motion Mrs Cole of Jersey City,N.J. was made a member of the Advisory Committee.

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APRIL 18th,1893

1. Prayer meeting ledby Mrs Alexander.
Mr Bill man addressed the meeting
Mrs Roberts presided in absence of Mrs James
2. Duplicates of all photographs taken by Mr Finks ordered.
Hoonah. Rev Mr MC Farland regarding site for building
$500 appropriated for building at Hoonah.
Scholarships for Logan.Utah
3. Leave of absence asked by teachers
Closing and opening of schools
Letter from a married pupil of Miss Allison
Primary teacher needed at Tulsa,Ind Ter
4. Mrs Coles cannot serve on Advisory Committee
Mr Billman,conference with Committee over work at Tucson.

APRIL 10th,1803

1. Prayer meeting today Mrs Alexander.
   Mr Bill was absent and the meeting
   Mrs Roberts presided in absence of Mrs James
2. Duplicates of all photographs taken by Mr Tinks ordered.
   Noonan. Rev Mr McFarland regarding site for building
   $800 appropriated for building at Noonan.
   scholarship for Logan.Utah
3. Leave of absence asked by teachers
   closing and opening of schools
   Primary teacher needed at Tiles,Ind Ter
   Letter from a former pupil at Miss Allison
4. Mrs Coles cannot serve on Advisory Committee
   Mr Gilman,commerce, with committee over work at Tucson.

Regular Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday April 18th preceded by monthly prayer meeting of one hour, led by Mrs Alexander. The room was well filled and listened with great interest to Mrs Alexanders helpful words. She called forth the testimony of several present on the increasing growth of spirituality on the various fields.

Mr Billman of Tucson, Arizona, being present was asked for a few remarks. He said in beginning, that we should not always dwell upon the self-denials and hardships of missionaries, but bear in mind the joy that they often experienced - the joy of winning souls, of standing as God's sole representative before an unsaved multitude is an unspeakable delight. He prays almost that his body might be made of iron that it might never give out so eager is he to work for souls. He paid a beautiful tribute to the faithful labors of Mr Cook for twenty -three years laboring among the Pima Indians. There are about 12000 of these Indians in this district. Mr Cook needs one or two other workers and about six Indian evangelists to carry on this work, as it should be held.

Regular business meeting at 11.30 presided over by Mrs Roberts in absence of Mrs James who left to attend Presbyterial meeting in Boston.

Minutes of last regular meeting as well as meeting of Ways

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and Means Committee read and approved. Mrs Miller read program for Annual Meeting in Washington as prepared in the office. On motion program was approved and adopted.

A motion was carried that if the expense be not too great duplicates of all the photographs taken by Mr Finks be ordered for the office.

Mrs Miller read letter from Rev John Md Farland of Koonah, Alaska, telling of the way in which a building site had been taken and given over to him by a man named Rose, and later how efforts had been made to wrest this from him. He begs for a building combining home and school; says $500 from the Board with what they can secure from visitors will do this for them. The Greek priests are very active and try to buy the allegiance of the people.

The Board recommend that we appropriate $500 for this purpose. As it is enlargement only this recommendation was carried unanimously.

At Logan, Utah, Prof. Smith writes that without scholarships for the boarding department it cannot be maintained. To make this a success he asks for an immediate answer and begs that it may be a favorable one. Miss Lincoln made a motion that the decision of this case be left to the next meeting of the Ways and Means Committee in consultation with the Secretaries as further

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light was expected this week from correspondence.

The following teachers in Utah ask for leave of absence during the summer months. Mrs Sullivan and daughter from Payson on account of illness of her daughter. MissM.E.Knox of Nephi.

Supt Marshall and wife of Mt Pleasant.
Miss H.Rockwell and Miss F.Rockwell from Monroe.
Miss Buchanan,Mt Pleasant.
Miss A.Noble.Hyrum
Miss H,M.Osborn,Kaysville,
Miss Speakman.Smithfield.
Miss Neilson.Mt Pleasant.
Miss Peck,Benjamin.
Also several from the Mexican,Indian and Mt White fields.

A motion carried that inview of the benefit to be derived by the teachers from the Columbian Exposition,which in some cases is the attraction this summer,the decision of the vacations of all those so asking be left to the office with power each case to have individual consideration,but the time of opening schools in the fall not to be delayed.

Mrs Miller read letter sent by Miss Allison received from one of her married pupils showing what her labors had developed in Christian character as well as in a fair education.

At Tulsa,Ind Ter there is just now no teacher of the primary department. Miss Corbett,principle,has her mother staying with her and asks if we will employ her in this position at $5 per week. Motion carried approving this suggestion.

Mrs Roberts spoke of sending out Mr Finks over the field

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for the purpose of taking photographs desired for our albums at the World's Fair. In some of the larger schools such as Asheville and Concord they will have the pgotographs taken for us thus doing away with the necessity of Mr Finks extending his journeyings

Mrs Honeyman reported that Mrs Coles of Jersey City would not be able to serve on the Advisory Committee. Her name will be accordingly withdrawn.

End of morning session.

Mr Billman met the Committee in the afternoon to speak more fully of the work on the reservation referred to in the morning.

One or two chapels her urges this year and two salaries of $250 each. Mr Cook will be the natural head of the work and should have two assistants this year. These should be Americans then later six native assistants; this will hold the reservation for us. This provides for the continuance of religious influence about the children on their return from the various schools. Mr Billman thinks the school at Tucson should be continued for ten years to come. Govt now contributes $20,000 towards that one school,$1.25 per capita. It would be difficult to relinquish this at once. Mrs Miller remarked that the Senior Endeavor societies might be willing to shoulder the salaries of the six evangelists butshe could not answer for the building of the chapels as this is not work that belongs to our Committee.

Mr Billman said that ever since he had been at Tucson they

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have been obliged to turn away boys. One year as many as from 40 to60 children. The first year there were enfolled 79 pupils and from Sept till June the average attendance has been 77,showing a steady interest trulywonderful. All the five years he has been there,there has been no industrial teacher,very little of the time of a carpenter. He himself has had to perform duties of all kinds. The girls matron has 58 girls under her. The two matrons,Miss North and Miss Clay do excellent work in industrial training. The boys have done all the acarpentering on the new buildings with the exception of $100 worth of labor,

They really want now a new school building,costing $1800 to $2000. The boys have no sitting room whatever. In bad weather there is no room to congregate oin. The girls also have no sitting-room. They need a good sewing room.

A Bible teacher and teacher of music are needed. The Board has suggested to him sending an industrial teacher to assist him leaving the Bible instruction to himself. He inclines to this arrangement,as he longs occasionally to preach the Godpel in the outlying country.

They need a farmer and a blacksmith. The Secretaries favor his finding men for these positions. The carpenter now receives $1000; too large a salary. The industrial teacher he thought would come for $800. He thought it possible in Park College he might find a man.also would make inquiries in Ohio on his return

Mrs Honeyman proposed the name of Mrs Campbell of Jersey City in place of Mrs Cole on Advisory Committee. A motion was carried to this effect.

APRIL'25th,1893

1. Miss Goodrich gave account of her work at Dulas Springs
2. Miss Kelsey pleased about the money for boat
Mr Cherry desires to know how to instruct women how to dress
3. Dr Thwing. does not want Blanche Lewis
Camera for Committee
Miss Dox as speaker discussed
Prof Lawrence elected as Supt of work at Asheville.
4. Letter from Rev Mr Hamilton.
Advice asked regarding educating Mr Blohm's daughter
Resignations from
Miss Peterson,Payson.
Mrs Hastings Spring City
Mrs Schaffer Box Elder
Miss Orr Gunnison
Miss MC Clain Springville
Miss Fannie Perley,Spanish Fork Utah wishes to leave school before the usual time for closing.
5. Standard of teachers should be higher
Miss Osborm as speaker for annual meeting
Leaflet on Boy's Farm School
Miss Marshll reports on Locust Level,N.C.
Resignations of
Mr Jewel Jearoldstown
Miss Dean of Asheville Normal
Miss Calvert of Asheville Ind.
Mr Newman of Riceville
Increase in Miss Vreeland!s salary
6. Mrs Malone writes regarding Harlan Court House,Ky
Resignations from Ind Ter.
Mrs & Miss Knight of Caddo
Miss Ashbey of Wheelock
Mrs Jackson of Mc Alester
Mrs E.E.Mathes of Elm Spring
Mr & Mrs Pierson of Tucson. Have decided to remain
Miss Brengle of New Mexico
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Miss Lincoln granted leave of absence
7. Work attended to by School Committee
List of vice-presidents suggested by Synodical officers
Minutes of meetings to go to vice presidents as well as pres.
Mrs Folsom not in Minn,will send another name
Minute to be prepared . Rev Dr A.Mitchell's death
Mrs FErguson to be made a corresponding member at annual meet
Mrs Hume ready for work
Statement regardingAlaska.

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Meeting of Ways and Means Committee was held on Tuesday, April 25th at 10.30 A.M. Meeting opened by reading of Scripture and short prayers by all present, ten in number.

Miss Goodrich being present gave interesting details of her work at Dula's Springs about ten miles from Asheville. The numbers have increased to 93 and many of them have long distances, often two or three miles; their ages ranging from 5 to 22. Her own little cottage is very comfortable, and she and Miss Marston have a very good servant. Thirty of the children are so young that they needed a primary department. Seeing the need of this people themselves have offered enough of the public school money to put an addition to the building for this purpose. Miss Goodrich promised them a primary teacher provided she could obtain the sanction of the Committee. She has in view Miss Parrish of the Asheville school, and among her friends she thinks she has the promise of her salary. Miss Goodrich has been elected Supt of the Sabbath school, and she said the spirit of God had certainly been working in the hearts of the people. Miss Goodrich showed a number of photographs which she had taken of the people and buildings, and it was decided to have some large views of a similar kind taken by a photographer now atwork in Asheville for our albums at the World's Fair. To this end a motion was carried that Mrs Roberts correspond with Miss Stevenson as to the

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A letter has been received from Miss Kelsey expressing much pleasure that the funds have been raised for the boat for the girls and expressed her preference for a sail-boat large enough to hold fifty girls. Miss Kelsey in a letter to Mrs James desires to be relieved from the position in the Sitka school and have Dr Jackson find her another position in one of the Govt schools where her labors will be lighter. Mrs James feels opposed to accepting Miss Kelsey's resignationand yet acknowledges that she has justcause for being worn out. She has no relief from her cares. Mrs Miller stated that she had a number of names of competent young womenready to go to Alaska and suggested Miss Kelsey's going to assist Mrs Willard at Juneau in Miss Dunbar's place; Mrs Heiser be put in Miss Kelsey's place and an assistant matron be sent from the new applicants. After further discussion a motion was carried that we offer Miss Kelsey Mrs Heiser for an assistant for the summer to allow her to go to Portland for a rest and change,with the promise that she should have continued assistance in the fall so that she may feel able to retain her position.

A Mr Cherry has offered his services as missionary, and Govt teacher in the Episcopal church on St Lawrence island in Behrings sea,and has applied at the rooms for directions in instructing the women how to dress etc. Considered unnecessary as

at that point furs would be mostly used.

Dr Thwing writes again opposing the sending out of Blanche Lewis to their assistance but suggests our commissioning Mrs Thwing's sister in the place. A motion carried approving this suggestion and referring it with approval to the School Commit tee, and that her salary be $300. Also that Dr Thwing be written to that Miss Guest can make her application here and if she prove satisfactory she will be sent on with the understanding that if not satisfactory on the field she pay her own expenses returning.

A discussion was held as to the camera to be purchased for our Committee, and of two sizes shown the smaller one was finally chosen as in all points the better for our purpose. A motion was therefore carried that Mr Finks be authorized to purchase a camera best suited to his needs of the size indicated.

After recess of an hour the Committee came together for an afternoon session. The calling of Miss Dox as speaker on the field was discussed in full. It was also desired to have her make an address at the Annual Meeting, 19th May. To this end correspondence with Miss Dox was left to the office.

The election of Prof Lawrence by the School Committee as general Supt of the Asheville work was brought before us for approval. Motion carried that we concur in this appointment of the School Committee.

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The Rev Mr Hamilton of Chickasaw writes again regarding opening of a school at that point. Motion carried that no answer can be sent until after the Spring Conference.

Mrs MC Intire of Easton.Pa writes that Miss Florence Taylor is the teacher supported by their society in Utah. This young lady begs the society supporting her to give an education to the eldest daughter of the Rev Mr Blohm formerly in the employ of the Board. Mrs MC Intire asks our advice in the matter as they have become interested in the young girl and feel inclined to help her provided it will not interfere with their pledged work. Mrs James advised Mrs Mc Intire be written to commending her appealing to us,and upholding her desire of giving an education to Mr Blohm's daughter. Mrs Roberts suggested that Lake Forest University be appealed to to receive her as a beneficiary if she cannot be received at Salt Lake Institute. This was put as a motion and carried.

Mrs Miller presented the following resignations from Utah.

Miss Petersen of Payson.
Mrs Hastings of Spring City
Mrs Schaffer of Box Elder
Miss Orr of Gunnison
Miss Mc Clain of Springville.

On motion these resignations were accepted.

Miss Fannie Perley of Spanish Fork,Utah asks to leave the work before school closes as she is miserable after the grippe. As she writes that her work can proceed without her,a motion

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was carried granting her request.

Dr Wishard writes that the standard of teaching should be raised in the future.

He suggests Miss Osborn as a speaker for the Annual Meeting. In view of Miss Quillan speaking and Dr Wishard himself, it was thought best not to write Miss Osborn.

Mr Dodge has written for publication a very good leaflet on the Boy's Farm School.

Mrs Miller reported that Miss Marshall of Locust Level had been here and reports things not going on well in that school. Only seven boys remain in the boarding department. Miss Ufford suggests that a superintendent be placed over it and that she herself remain as matron. Mrs Miller suggested that Mr Davis can be asked to visit the school and make a thorough investigation, reporting to us.

Mrs Miller reported the resignation of the following teachers from the Mountain Whites.
Mr Jewel of Jearoldstown.
Miss Dean of Asheville Normal
Miss Calvert of Asheville Industrial
Mr Newman of Riceville
On motion these resignations are accepted.

Miss Vreeland of Pikeville, Ky has been receiving $35 a month, but having to supplement her mother's salary needs $50 per month for ten months the coming year. WE are asked to make this increase so they may be able to retain Miss Vreeland as she

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has had better offers elsewhere. For the present $50 has been sent Miss Vreeland to supplement her salary for this year and the $500 will be considered later.

Mrs Malone writes Mrs James of the building at Harlan Court House,Ky. A lot can be obtained for $2000 with a building already on it which might be used for a baarding department for a few years,and there is ample room to put up a chapel on the same lot. Motion carried that this proposal be referred to the secretaries and further correspondence be held.

The following resignations are sent from Indian Territory.
Mrs and Miss Knight of Caddo
Miss Ashley of Wheelock
Mrs Jackson of Mc Alester
Mrs E.E.Mathes of Elm Spring
On motion these resignations are accepted.

Mr and Mrs Pierson the carpenter and laundress at Tucson have also resigned feeling as though there was not satisfaction with them. But Mr Billman expressing himself as more than satisfied they have reconsidered their determination and will remain. The Committee are much pleased with this decision.

Miss Brengle of New Mexico send in her resignation. On motion this resignation is accepted.

Mrs Pike of Worcester,Mass writes asking if they can have Mrs De Vore to address their meeting.

Miss Lincoln not having recovered from the grippe a motion was carried granting her a week's absence for recuperation.

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Mrs Miller reported that a great deal of work comes before the School Committee that is not brought to us, requisitions ordered that we know nothing of. But as nothing could be suggested to change this state of affairs the matter was not pursued.

Mrs Pierson read list of vice-presidents suggested by Synodical officers and they met with Mrs James'approval.

A request came that the Minutes of our meetings shall go do our vice-presidents as well as to Presidents of Synodical socie ties. Mrs James though perhaps sufficient copies could be struck off to accomplish this.

Mrs Pomeroy writes that Mrs Folsom is not in Minnesota and thinks she has left the state. If requested she will send the name of another woman. to fill her place.

Motion carried that our secretaries prepare a minute expressive of the deep regret of the Woman's ExecutiveCommittee at the death of Rev Dr Arthur Mitchell.

Motion made that Mrs Ferguson be made a corresponding member of the Woman's Executive at the Annual Meeting.

Mrs Hume of Caldwell,Oklahoma has expressed herself most willing to perform any work that the Woman's Executive Committee should require.

Mrs Miller stated that at Hoonah,Alaska,sixty nine have been baptized on profession of faith. Since Nov 20th 76 have come out on the Lord's side,35 children have been baptized;25 Christian marriages have beencelebrated.

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Publication Committee report
Mountain White Committee "
Harlan Court House,Ky
Mrs Saxman for hospital at Sitka.
Miss Brady application.
Matron needed for Chilcat.
Synodical Superintendents to be present at Washington
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Cook needed at Santa Fe,N.M.
Cook for Asheville,N.C.
Miss A.Hydon,Taos N.M. asks leave of absence. Sister also
Wardrobe for Miss Scott,Pajarito,N.M.
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Resignation of Misses Bassett,Hot Springs,N.C.
Locust Level,N.C. A boy to be taken out ofschool
Mrs Bryan. Martha Bain
Dr Happer. Leaflet Mountain Whites
Mrs Stowell,Portland,Oregon. proposes vice presidents
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Appeal for church bell for Duanesburg,N.Y.
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Miss Brady also applies for re-appointment but no vacancy offering we do not need her services .

At Haines,Alaska,a matron is needed in the boarding department in the school under Mr Warne. There are twelve boarding pupils. Mr Warnes writes a most interesting letter. He speaks highly of Miss Bingford now desiring to leave. He reports 90 gathered for the Sunday services where is only room for 40.so they will need a church. A motion carried that we secure a matron for this school to be ready by October.

Mrs Miller stated that only Dr Kirkwood and Mr Duncan will be present in Washington of our Synodical Superintendents. Dr Wishard cannot come unless we send for him at our expense. He comes as far as Chicago in any case. Referred to the office with power.

Miss Burnet writes from Mt Pleasant,Utah that this is her third year and she would like leave of absence for the summer. Secretaries approving motion supported granting the vacation.

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Miss Scott of Pajarito,N.M. having no place in the house for her clothes asks for a wardrobe. Motion carried that if a wardrobe be found at Albuquerque,Miss Scott be provided with one.

Miss Guernsey of Red Land Ind Ter desires to come east and study new methods of teaching during the summer hoping at the same time to get rid of her malaria which comes on every summer. A motion carried that our room at Chatauqua be suggested to Miss Guernsey and she be allowed to avail herself of it.

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Mrs Bryan writes about Martha Bain that the ladies of their society desire to give $100 towards her musical education. Mrs James suggested private correspondence with the principal of Albert Lea Academy as to the acquirements and chastity of Martha Bain before advising.

Dr Happer having prepared an excellent leaflet on the Mountain White it is necessary to pay him for this valuable service. It was ordered paid by Miss Lincoln.

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Miss Stephenson writes asking if all applicants for admission to the Asheville Training School by those in the neighborhood may be recommended to the Laura Sunderland school at Concord till that is filled. Motion carried so ordering it.

Recess held from one till two P.M.

After luncheon.Mrs Burnham made an appeal for a church bell for a little town named Duanesburg,N.Y. near Schenectady being interested in the minister personally and the district being very benighted. It was suggested by Mrs Burnham that she write a history of the case to send to the N.Y.Observer and Evangelist in the hope that thereby she may obtain an offer of a bell for the church needing it.

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ter before the Lady conferences.

Miss Stephenson writes asking if all applicants for admission
to the Adelville Training School by those in the neighborhood may
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Meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday May 9th at 10.30 A.M.. Present about 8or 10 ladies. Meeting opened by reading of Scripture and extracts from Henry Drummond followed by several prayers. Regular business followed.

Mrs Miller asked as to the appointment of an auditor of accounts. On motion Mr Brownell appointed.

It has been suggested by the Board that we share in the expense of a pamphlet called Illustrated facts and phases of Home Mission work" prepared by Mr Finks. A motion carried that we pay for one third of the original o rder.

The ladies of Los Angeles asking if we approve the naming of their school the Home Industrial,as it now assumes that character. A motion carried carried that in view of possible confusion with that name and our Asheville Home Ind. school correspondence be held with the Los Angeles ladies asking if they can devise something a little different.

Miss Anna Ross of San Piedro Colo has broken down and Dr Kirkwood recommends that we secure a place for her at Perth Amboy. She asks for an annuity of $300.

The School Committee has approved a blank for medical examination of our lady teachers,and send it to us for our sanction. A motion carried that we accept and adopt this as approved by School Com.

Meeting of Board's Executive Committee on Monday May 5th 1930 at 10.30 A.M.. Pr sent about 30 Ladies. Meeting opened by reading of Portion and extracts from Duty Humming followed by several prayers. Regular business followed.

Mr. Miller called as to the appointment of an auditor of accounts. On motion Mr Stormont appointed.

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The ladies of Los Angeles School in Vancouver have the running of their school the Home Industrial, so is not earning that character. A motion carried carried that in view of possible combination that first term not exceed Advertise Home Mid. School contemplated be held with the Los Angeles ladies making it they can devote somewhat a little more time.

Mr Mike Lore of Cor Fraser Ave has broken down and Mr Kirkwood recommends that we secure a place for her at North Arbor. The acting Mr a committee of 3.

The School Committee [illegible] for a link for medical examination of our Indian students, [illegible] to be for our education. A motion carried that we accept it and adopt this as approved by School Board.

Mr Robe supt of the Nuyaka school asks for the appropriation of $600 for the maintenance of the school till the close of the year. As the Board approves of this, a motion was carried that we approve this action.

Mrs Coulter of the Freedmen's work has asked for a conference with this Committee on Friday of this week. Those present were asked to be present if possible. A resolution has been passed by the Home Miss. Society of the Presbytery of Detroit Mich, asking that hereafter city evangelization be included in the work of the Woman's Ex.Com. Referred on motion to the chairman of the Committee on Home Missions at General Assembly.

Mr Mc Afee came in at eleven o'clock to tell of the condition of the Omaha school as he found it on visiting it on his way east. There is a mission building, a school building, a church etc not very close together on a bluff overlooking the Missouri river. It will take one thousand dollars to put these buildings in proper repair for another year. It has been difficult to induce the children to attend, owing to the condition of the buildings.

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tion of $300 for the maintenance of the school till the close

of the year. As the Board approved of this,a motion was carried

that we approve this action.

The petition of [illegible] New York was called for a conter-

ence with the committee on Trades of this ve K. Those present

were asked to be present in person. A resolution was read

signed by the Long Island Society of the Presbytery of Detroit

that, whilst that Presbytery only overture the inclusion in

the work of the "Ladies Aid". Postponed on motion to the

chairman of the [illegible] on Relations at General Assembly.

It was then moved by Mr. Wilson o'clock to hold or the conci-

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exercise over the children in our school, it cannot be considered that the Govt schools will take its place and favor its continuance. One great disadvantage in reaching these people is that they have no printed language, preaching has to be done through an interpreter, and teaching in various ways. A new point and new building is advised. Bancroft is a place midway to the wes between Omaha and Sioux City. Lyons is also suggested, only six miles from the Agency. Pinder is the third place, further to the north. Mr Mc Afee on the whole prefers Bancroft, having met some godly people there and thinking they are truly desirous of having our work among them. Mr Mc Afee suggested to them donating 80 acres or thereabouts to the Board, to induce their building among them; They have now $500 towards this. There are several sites to choose from. 80 acres would cost about $3000 Mr & Mrs Tibbals and Miss Susan La Fleische are all in the Govt school at Winnebago and it is thought the two ladies might be secured in our school as they are very popular in that district. At the close of Mr Mc Afees remarks Mrs Miller went on with the docket.

She reported having written to Miss Kelsey proposing her remaining with the changes we proposed.

Miss Fannie Perley is to be in Chicago in May and could be asked to go on to the Annual Meeting if so desired to represent Utah. Recommended that Miss Perley be invited to come on to

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The reported have written to Rev Kenny proposing for training with the chance no proposal.

Miss Jessie Petty is to be married in May and could be asked to go on to the Annual Meeting if no desired to testimony that. Good also that Miss Petty be invited to come on to

make a brief address at our Annual Meeting.

Miss Galbraith of Ephraim,Utah,asks to have another teacher appointed for her assistance another year as her school has outgrown her care. Favorably referred to Conference on Thursday.

Mrs Sullivan and her daughter having asked for 4 months leave of absence from Payson,Utah,now begs to be released for a year and as it is on account of her daughter's health a motion was carried that we release Mrs Sullivan for a year.

Miss Mattie White of Paris,Idaho asks for leave of absence from May 19th.to go east and attend Fair.

Miss Mattie Taylor writes that Rev Mr Blohm desires a vacation and asks if we cannot pay his way east in view of his addressing meetings in our behalf. Motion carried that since the case does not come under our rules we cannot grant the request.

Mrs Crosby read extracts of a letter from Mr Martin regarding Salina, Utah that if we can put in a thoroughly good teacher there, the school ought not to be given up,and suggests Miss Quillen or some one as good. It was thought the question might be put to Miss Quillan as she desires to return to the field. Mrs Crosby asks that the case may be considered at the May conference. Mrs James promised that this should be done.

At Kaysville,Utah,Miss Ada Fitch asks for one month leave of absence to attend the World's Fair. Motion carried allowing this vacation.

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The Crosby read extracts of a letter from Mr Martin regarding his health, stating that it was our judgment a thoroughly good teacher there, the school could not be given up, and suggested Miss Miller or some one else be sent. It was thought the question might be put to Miss Miller as she desires to return to the field.

The Crosby asks that the case may be considered at the May conference. The Board promised that this should be done.

At Marysville, Utah, Mrs. Ida Hixon asks for one month leave of absence to attend the World's Fair. Motion carried allowing the vacation.

Miss Peck who is to have leave of absence from Benjamin, Utah asks if she may appeal for her work during her stay. The building needs enlargement but Dr Wishard will be corresponded with and the matter await further light.

Mrs Miller read list of names of teachers recommended for appointment to Utah the coming year.

Miss Ellen Lee Rowley, a Mormon convert
Miss Maggie Roberts, Welsh Pres Church
Mrs Mead of Samaria will retire and Miss Roberts may fill her pl
Miss Lucy Schaeffer. Mormon convert of Carlton College
Miss Maggie Beck of Poncha Springs, Colo
Miss Mary H. Evarts of Oxford, O
Miss Fannie E. White, Forest Park University, St Louis
Miss Etta M. Hitchcock, Wilmington, N.C. thought of as prin of scho
Miss Stalker of Oxford, Utah, Mormon convert
Motion carried that we recommend the appointment of these teache

In N.M. leave of absence has been granted to Mrs Granger and her daughter at Las Cruces, and now the secretaries advise placing them at another point in the fall. As the reason of the transfer is owing to some personal differences between her and the minister of the place, a motion was carried that a kindly letter should be written to Mrs Granger to let her know the information we have received and suggesting the transfer.

John Warder of Buena Vista writes that he does not desire to resign yet he cannot support his family on $25 a month as expenses are high in N.M. He does constant missionary work visiting among manyfamilies, His school also is so flourishing that he needs an assistant to do it justice. Motioncarried that cor

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The Lucy Cohen[illegible] convent of Clifton College

The Energie Book of Women Dynamics, [illegible]

The Lady [illegible] College,

The [illegible] .177 [illegible] Lark Shrewsbury, Mr Norris

The Rev I. Hitchcock, Washington, N.C. Thought of as part of some

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Motion carried that we [illegible] congratulations of those tosom.

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respondence be held with Mr Menaul in regard to his and his case referred to the Board with an appeal for an assistant.

From Taos,(El Prado) a letter comes from Miss E.W.Craig, reminding the Committee of the repairs necessary and asking for leave of absence for the summer. This request on motion granted with regular limitations.

Miss Mc Nair and Miss Case of Las Vegas N.M. ask for leave of absemce. To all of these vacations granted with the usual stipulations regarding length of time etc.

Miss Case is to be transferred in the fall to another point

Miss Laura B.Moore of Bozeman,Montana is to fill Miss Case' place highly recommended by Mr Mc Afee.

At Nuyaka Ind Ter Miss Dexter who has been matron there has not been satisfactory,has been recommended for transfer to another place. Motion carried recommending this transfer. Miss Hopkins and Miss patterson who have also been teaching at Nuyaka will be transferred to another place as they are not sufficiently qualified. Motion carried that we approve this recommendation.

Mrs MC Gaughey of Raton,N.M. is highly recommended by Miss Hills as well as by Mr Menaul as assistant to Miss Hills. Motion carried approving this.

To take the place of the two teachers leaving Nuyaka,Miss Maria Templeton,and Miss Mabel True of Kansas ,have been recom-

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Mrs Poole and her daughter of Ood Dwight have been having $500 and living outside the school. In view of now receiving only $350 and board in the school, they would prefer being sent to Caddo where they can have a little home of their own. Motion carried permitting this change.

Mr Baskerville principal of a large school of Jamestown No Dak has been appointed Mr Mc Afee's successor at Sisseton Agency, So Dak, his credentials being most satisfactory the Board have already placed him there. Miss Coe and Miss Rockwell will retire from the school, the latter being about to be married and will go with her Indian husband to teach and labor in another place.

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In Bartlesville, Indian T. is a large school of Lamestown. Mr Dak has been appointed by the Board successor at Bissetown Agency, Mr Dak, his credentials being most satisfactory the Board have already placed him there. Miss Coe and Miss Lockwell will retire from the school, the latter being about to be married and will go with her husband to Colorado. Labor in another place.

A man is recommended to fill Miss Rockwell's place as superintendent under Mr Baskerville and Miss Jones to be at the head of the school work. But as it is not feasible to place a man there just now Miss Moore and Miss Patton highly recommended by Mr MC Afee are to be appointed to fill the vacancies.

After recess, Mrs Lord spoke of her knowledge of the Mountai white and colored people from her long residence in the south. She thinks the colored people are more intelligent and brighter for the most part than the whites, for the extreme poverty of the latter have given them a hopelessly sad expression and has caused vice to flourish especially among the women. Mrs Lord thinks the only way to reach them is by forming a chain of missions all through their country and getting all the children possible out of their homes for instruction. She gave several instances of the deepest immorality coming only it would seem from utter idleness.

Miss Elizabeth Douglass is recommended for Ind Ter work and highly recommended by Mr Mc Afee.

Mr Billman having asked for the appointment of a blacksmith it was granted and he is now looking for one.

At Zuni, N.M. a recommendation is made that a matron be appointed to assist Miss Pond and Miss De Sette in their arduous duties. Referred to the Spring Conference.

Miss Gibson and Miss Dean are the two new teachers recommended for the Asheville Industrial school. Miss Lyle has been

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[illegible] [illegible] to fill the vacancy.

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recommended for Riceville in place of Mr Newman and her credentials have proved satisfactory. Motion carried that these appoi ments be approved.

Mrs Query having been recently married it is recommended that she now be definitely retired. So ordered by motion. Suggested that Miss Stryker be appointed as matron at Concord in Mrs Query's place Miss Pratt to be the teacher.

Miss Mary Goodman of Orange Co highly recommended by members of Madison Square church. Motion c arried approving Miss Goodman for commission.

The Misses Bassett retiring from Hot Springs, it is recommended that Miss Flora Campbell and Miss Glover succeed them, the if Miss Stryker wishes to remain there the three are friends together.

Miss Sallie Mc Clure has very good recommendations and her name can be retained, also a Miss Hodgkin of Miss Master's school who may prove of value to us.

Mrs Miller read letter from Miss Ufford of Locust Level, N.C which showed her impression that her work has not been wholly takeh up by the Board since quarterly financial reports have never been required of her. She asks if she can have $200 to cancel her grocery bills, as money she was counting on has failed to come to her, and a well she thought would only cost $40 has grown to $130 owing to its being cut through solid rock. The

recommended for Portsville in place of the Norman and Nor ordsen-
dale have proved satisfactory. Motion certain that those sys-
tems be adopted.

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that she now be definitely retired. To ordered by motion. Ma-
dated that Miss Carpenter be given ten minutes at Concord in
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The Chair received of letter to Miss Jones notified by mon-
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Board having seen her statement, advises our putting the school on a substantial basis and pay the amount needed. Motion carried that this $200 be sent Miss Wfford. She asks to have a man appointed to superintend the cultivation of the land. Mrs James thought we cannot engage a man for that work and would like a clear financial statement.

Miss Jennie Campbell at Harlan Court House, Ky writes that she hopes they are certainly to have a building. Mr Eaton thinks a new building cannot be put up in readiness for next year's work, and that we must hire a place till this be done. Motion carried that Mrs Roberts write Dr Hall asking if in his attendance at the Scotch Irish Congress soon to be held, he would approve of making an appeal for the purchase of the land needed at Harlan Court House and money for the re-building of the chape school-house, in all about $3500. Dr Dorland sends a statement which he would like to have printed. Referred to the secretaries and later to Publication Committee if necessary.

Mrs Hume who is to go about organizing societies writes asking for more information as to methods and finances. Mrs James gave the required information.

Miss Lincoln reported that Miss Rue was feeling very miserable, and asked if she might be allowed to leave the rooms at leave the rooms at 3.30 every day till the annual meeting. Grante

Meeting adjourned at a quarter past three followed by meeting

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of Finance Committee. At this meeting a resolution was passed increasing Miss Eaton's salary $50 per annum, her work to be confined to the assistant treasurership and scholarships.

After careful study and comparison of salaries it was found that our salaries approach very nearly three per cent of our receipts and it is our desire not to exceed that proportion.

Moved and supported that Mrs C.E.Walker of Colorado be invited to attend our annual meeting at Washington, that her traveling expenses be paid by the Woman's Executive Committee (her entertainment while at Washington will be furnished by ladies there), that Mr Eaton be requested to forward half fare permits at once.

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3. Resignation of Mrs Mead,Samaria,Idaho
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Recommended that correspondence beheld with Mrs Dorchester expressing our desire to have an interview with her when she may be passing through New York.

Motion also carried that we consider the education of Henry Kendall and such correspondence be held as will enable us to secure this being provided for either at Princeton or Amherst.

Motion carried that we take immediate steps towards securing the appointment of a field matron among the Pimas and Papagoes, and to this end that conference be held with the secretaries.

Afternoon sessionbegan at 2.30 P'M.. Mrs Miller first reported on the vacations to be taken by the secretaries during the summer months. The arrangement beingsatisfactory a motion passed in approval.

Motion carried that Miss Burnet be asked to go on to Washington for a part of the time to attend our Annual Meeting. Motion carried that our stenographers have alternate days as holidays during the week of General Assembly,Miss Taft to have the remainder of the week after Miss Burnet's return,and Miss Eaton some extra time after all are returned.

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Mrs Mead of Samaria Idaho sends in her resignation which on motion was accepted.

Dr Wishard has a teacher ready to send to Franklin, Idaho we therefore refer this to the School Committee with our recommendation that the school be re-opened.

Mrs Young the principal teacher at Sante Fe, N.M. sends in her resignation. This resignation on motion accepted, her return expenses to be reduced at the discretion of the office.

Miss Cox of Muscogee, Ind Ter sends in her resignation. On motion this resignation was accepted.

Miss Houston of Wewoka, Ind Ter asks for leave of absence. Granted provided it fall within the regulations of the office.

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Mr Lawrence writes to Mr Eaton asking if the teachers must be boarded in the school during vacation, which would make a summer boarding house for them, and be as expensive as to have them sent home. On motion the proposition of Mr Lawrence to have the teachers sent to their homes for the summer vacation, carried.

Mrs James read extracts of letter from Mrs Thompson of Pena Blanca, reporting much interest among the children in the study of the Bible. Motion made that Mrs James write an encouraging letter to Mrs Thompson expressive of the sympathy of the office.

Letter received from Mr Hale of Chicago stating the box of our curios has been received and asks for a map, a chart etc. Motion carried referring the latter request to Mrs Roberts in consultation with the secretaries.

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Mrs Honeyman and Mrs Roberts being a committee to revise names to be presented to the nominating Com at Washington sent in their report of the new vice-presidents advisable to be added to our list.

Mrs Pierson read the list and on motion the report was accep ted.

Dr Happer has sent us articles on the "Dangers to American Institutions" which have been published in the Presbyterian Banner They will form a pamphlet of twenty pages costing $2 per hundred. He asks whether we would like to order any. Motion carried that the extracts be referred to Mrs James for the purpose of determin ing the number we should desire.

Mrs Hume writes for further instructions on her trip east, the places she shall visit in the Ind Ter, Kansas, Oklohoma etc. The expense of the trip will be about $40 which on motion was ordered sent her at once. She proposes holding a popular evening meeting on home missions at every place possible. She begs to be upheld by prayer as "the flesh almost fails her oftentimes." In conference with Mrs Jack she proposes suggesting names for a Synodical Committee for Ind Ter. Mrs James favors the appointment of two vice-presidents for Ind Ter. Mrs Hume to be instructed to send a brief report of her trip and a detailed report of traveling expenses. The Woman's Executive Committee will furnish her with credentials commending her to the women of Ind Ter.

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Conference in Washington D.C. on Saturday ,May 20th,on the subject of the next Annual Meeting. Present Mrs James,Mrs Agnew Mrs Sinclair,Miss Peck,Mrs Parsons,Mrs Davis of Kansas,Mrs Walker of Colorado,Mrs Finks and Mrs Brownell.

Motion carried that next year we hold our Annual Meeting on the first Friday of the Assembly. In view of this motion also carried that the Executive Committee reach the place of meeting on the Wednesday preceding the day of the Annual Meeting.

A full discussion was held as to the advisability of lengthening the time of our public meeting,the members from the far West holding the belief that those coming from long distances were hardly satisfied with the crowding of reports and teachers' addresses all in one day.

Mrs Newton of Georgia having called during the conference and after being introduced by Mrs James,gave an account of the people of Georgia among whom she had lived for years and for whom she had tried to enlist our sympathies by letter recently. The school building is very near the hotel at Tullulah .She has found them very eager for the Bibles she has taken to them,very kindly and generous in their dispositions - wretchedly poor and ignorant. Mrs Newton gave many interesting incidents and at the close of her appeal,a motion was carried that this work in which she is so interested be considered during the summer and the case laid before the secretaries,with the hope that something may be done in the Fall towards opening a school.

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MEETING OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.
May 31st,1893.

At a called meeting of the Finance Committee,Wednesday May 31st,six ladies were present,and the call to Miss Virginia Dox to address meetings,was considered. After discussion it was resolved that a proposition should be made to Miss Dox of $700 for ten months service,and her traveling expenses. On motion it was resolved to pay Miss Dox fifteen dollars for the two meetings addressed by her on May 16th (N.Y.) and May 19th (Washington)

Motion carried that Mr Russell Sage be asked if he would grant passes for missionary speakers.

Motion carried that twenty dollars of the collection at Washington should be given to the Freedmen Department.

At a later meeting with the officers of the Board the proposition to Miss Dox was approved.

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JUNE 6th,1893

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" " " " " Lehigh,Ind Ter
Report of Finance Committee
2. Report of Building Committee
Plans for Penasco,N.M.
Report of Magazine Committee

3. " of Committee on Southern work
Photographs of Sitka pupils
Scholarships for Dr Thwing
Concerning Fred Moore,Sitka,Alaska
" Millard,Sitka,Alaska
4 Cook for Sitka,Alaska
Workers at Sitka,great satisfaction
5. Tinsmithing and engraving in silver for Sitka,Alaska
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Field matron for Washington
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10 Mr Gilchrist desires certain territory to work in
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Report of Finance Committee
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Plans for Pomeroy,N.M.
Report of Lecturing Committee

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Regular meeting of Woman's Executive Committee on Tuesday June 6th at 10.30 A.M. A half hour was given to prayers by different members. About twenty ladies present. The Committee felt themselves very happy in having present with them Mr and Mrs Stevenson of California, Mrs Yale of Chicago and Mrs Marsha of Nebraska, who were in turn presented to the Committee.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved after necessary corrections.

Mr Mc Afee being asked first for his report brought the opinion of members of General Assembly that the school at Muldrow, Indfer should not be maintained, a part of the furniture remaining the to be placed at Pleasant Hill. They also advise that all of the work east of Fort Gibson be left oto the Methodists as most of the people already belong to that church and theyaare doing successful work.

At Lehigh the community is able to maintain a school of their own, so that eventually it is thought the people will purchase the property and furnishings of us. We ar advised however to open a school at San Bois, forty pupils likely to be secured of whites and Choctaws, and a building probably donated. An $80 organ now in Lehigh could also be transferred to this point. This is the advice of Mr Burk of the Presbytery of Choctaw. At Talahini he also advises a school opened.

Mrs James asked for a report from the finance Committee which

held a meeting last week. The principal business transacted was deciding the salary of Miss Dox of the Congregational Board, who expresses herself as desirous of coming into the work of the Presbyterian church, to which she really belongs. The salary offered Miss Dox was $700 for ten months time, her traveling expenses to be paid while on the field. She has not yet been heard from but all feel very desirous to secure the services of this able and consecrated worker.

Mrs Sinclair being asked for a report of Building Committee replied that the plans of the Boy's Farm Building at Asheville N.C had been carefully gone over and for the most part approved. Mr Clarence Smith the architect has gone on with them and will view them in the light of the situation.

Miss Lincoln reported that the original plans for the building at Penasco, N.M. had been found and in the absence of the regular Committee they were carefully considered by Mr Mc Afee, Mrs Pierson and herself, and haste being important the plans were sent on for immediate building. A motion carried approving this action.

A report being asked for from the Magazine Committee, Mrs Pinks gave an account of the consultation held in Washington on the subject of a publication of a magazine for the young. This was made very delightful by the proposition which came to them while in session from the Central Committee of the Foreign Board that we have a joint magazine for children hereafter in the interests of both Foreign and Home Missions. This proposition met

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Mrs Roberts read letter just received from Mr Austin regarding the pgotographs he was to have taken to send on to Chicago. He said as to sending pictures of pupils as they were first found by the Missionaries, to show the contrast with their present condition, Mr Austin thought it would now be difficult to do this since "such children are now like the curios, hard to find." Mrs Pierson proceeded with her report and began with Fort Wrangel.

Dr Thwing asks if he may be allowed more than five pupils under his care provided he can himself secure the necessary funds for their support. A motion was carried that Dr Thwing be written to making no objection to one or two extra pupils providing it be not too onerous for Mrs Thwing, also asking his opinion on the helper needed by them.

Miss Rittenhouse of Georgetown is anxious that Frederick Moore shall have another chance given him and begs the Board may be interested in his behalf. Recommended that the Board be urged to allow Fred Moore to be employed at Killisnoo.

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that he can provide for his tuition, if we will defray his traveling expenses. Millard is the youth to whom Fannie Willard is engaged. They wish to marry in August but the Executive Committee are desirous to give him the chance of a better education before this takes place. Mrs James has had a school at Omaha recommended to her and would prefer this to Carlisle. But till we ascertain regarding it and make our decision, Capt Pratt will receive a note of thanks for his kind offer. Mrs Roberts made a motion which was carried that this decision be left with a committee appointed with power. Mrs James referred it to the Committee of Ways and Means.

Mr Austin has sent word that a cook has been found for Sitka, a native woman, Mrs Davis, whom they think will prove well suited to their needs. She could do the cooking for the hospital as wel as for the teacher's mess. Motion carried that we approve the appointment of Mrs Davis as cook for Sitka.

Mrs James read letter from Tillie Paul asking for a vacation this autumn to enable her to go to Portland where she thinks she could in three months learn dress-making having a natural fondnedd for it. She thought it would prove of great service to her on her return. Motion carried approving this proposition of Tilly Pauls, and leaving the details of correspondence with Mrs Stowell of Portland on the subject, with our secretaries.

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answer to prayer as fervent petitions had gone up in the office for direction in this important matter.

The matter of teaching tin-smithing to pupils as well as engraving in silver to Rudolph in Alaska,was referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

Dr Carson synodical supt of So Dak. writes asking if we canno aid pupils in Pierson College and Scotland Academy who are likely to become ministers and ministers wives,and are often graduates of our Good Will Mission. $25 will pay the total expense of a pupil for a year. The appointment of a man will follow the resig nation of Miss Jones at Sisseton. A motion carried that a commit tee of three be appointed with Mrs Roberts as chairman together with Mrs Niven and Mrs Pierson.

A letter was read from Mrs M.J.Adams of Tacoma.Wash. recommedding that field matron be appointed and conference be held with Mrs Dorchester relating to this step.

Mrs Miller reported that the appointment of teachersfor the Indian Schools was about completed.

Mrs James read a letter from Mrs Susan La Flesche an Omaha Indian telling of the great amount of dissipation at Bancroft,Neb deploring that steps could nat be taken to prosecute the dealers who sell whiskey without license. She reported the health of the Indians had been exceptionally good during the past winter.

Mrs Roberts suggested that letter be sent from Executive Committee to the Misses Mc Beth and Mr Williamson who have recently come un

der the care of the Committee by the transfer of the Omaha and Nes Perces Indiana from the Foreign to the Home Board, Mrs James to write the letters.

Mrs James spoke of the paper written by Dr Happer on Danger to our American Institutions and asked if the Committee thought wise to publish it in leaflet form for the Ex. Com. Mrs Roberts moved that her question be referred to the secretaries of the Board; Mrs Pierson to write to Dr Happer of the action.

Mrs James recommended that on the first editorial page of the Home Mission Monthly hereafter, each month, reference be made by Scriptural passages and otherwise of the inspiration of the Holy Spirit in the work of the coming year, when questions of serious import in the commercial world are apparent. A motion to this effect was carried. Mrs Pierson to notify Mrs Finks.

Mrs James spoke of the Convention of Christian workers of the Presbyterian church now in session at Saratoga and that no invitation had been extended to the women representing our great missionary organization. This she thought sufficient ground for complaint, that it was an act of discourtesy and lack of appreciation.

Adjourned for the noon hour.

At the opening of the afternoon meeting Mrs Pratt presented the pressing needs of the equipment fund of the Boy's Farm School the question of presenting a plea for this to the Christian Endeavor Societies was discussed, but as they are already pledged for

other objects it was thought unwise to add to their appeals till the work was apportioned for the coming year. It was suggested that it might be well to make this one of the objects for them after they have redeemed the pledges not out. Mrs Pratt was aske therefore to confinc her appeals to New York.

It was ordered to have printed 1000 copies of Miss Stephenson appeal for their work in leaflet fwm if after conference Mr Mc Afee and Miss Lincoln deem it wise.

Mrs Pratt was told to send any letters that she might need in pushing this object to the office where copies will be made and sent her.

The necessity of having Synodical Objects presented early after the annual meeting was urged. Mrs Stiles President of Texas Synod thanked Mrs James through a letter for the minutes of the meetings received.

Mrs James requested Mrs Yale after her return to Chicago to call a meeting of those interested in the taking up pf City missio work by the Ex Com and ask them to formulate a plan they consider feasible and report it to the Com.

Mrs Miller reported that Misses Watt and Reeves of Utah had asked for a vacation and that the Misses Rockwell of Utah had re-signed,they to remain till the summer vacation is over and Misses Watt and REEver who will be transferred take their places.

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Mrs Pierson referred to the invitation extended to Mr and Mrs Polhemus of Newark,N.J. for the Laura Sunderland at New Concord N.C. the Com. expressing a strong desire to secure them.

Miss Bickerstaff teacher of cooking at Asheville,N.C. asks for an increase of $100 per year,making her salary $400,but as this would be more than the teachers are receiving it was not granted.

Miss Noble of Utah,Hyrum, had been asked to rest for one year,as her health seemed to demand it,but she replied that she could not afford it and sent an application signed by the citizens of Hyrum asking for her return. This the Com. deem unwise as a change seems necessary for the good of the work. It was moved and carried that Mrs Miller write her that it is the sense of the Com. that she take a vacation of one year, the Com to defra her traveling expenses to her home.

Mrs Miller asked about the salaries of Miss Mattoon and Miss Hutton of the Asheville Normal and Collegiate. referred to secretaries of the Board.

Mrs Pierson read a letter from Mrs S.T.Spivey of Tweed,Ga who has been teaching among the poor whites asking for contributions of books and papers and other help the Com. can give her. An answer was sent her by Mrs Pierson assuring her of the sympathy of the Com in her work but that the work could not now be assumed

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there as the Com does not work yet in Ga. To this letter Mrs Spi vey sent a kindly reply of appreciation and told of the extreme destitution of the people. Mrs Hill was asked to see that papers and books be sent her. The letter will be referred to the secre taries of the Board to consider taking up the work at thatplace.

A protest was read from the women of Los Angeles,Cal. to the Com assuming the salaries of evangelists as the work of the Com is educational. It was moved and carried that Mrs Finks prepare an explanation of this new departure for the Home Mission Monthly,Mrs Pierson to write to the Los Angeles women that such an article will appear,

Miss Moore of Salt Lake City,Utah wanted to know if the 12 scholarships for the girls Home in connection with the Collegiate Institute are to be continued. The Com directed that Miss Moore shall be written to that they will be continued.

Mrs Pierson read a request from Michigan that city evangeli zation be taken up in Detroit,and was instructed to write in reply giving the restrictions put upon the Board of Home Missions and Ex.Com. by the General Assembly.

Miss Gilchrist of New Mexico presented the plan of opening a school for Mexicans and Indians at Albuquerque for the training of a theological class in addition to a normal a nd academic cours Del Norte is out of the reach of the Indians and will not be affec ed by the opening of this new school. Albuquerque is preferred to Las Vegas because of its nearness to the Indians. An appro-

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priation of $2500 would be needed for the support of the Supt,one teacher and the matorm. Aside from this it can be made self-supporting. The school can open with dfifty pupils. Mis Gilchrist urged the pressing need of this school to counteract the efforts of the Catholics who are pushing their teachers into the public schools. The Mexicans are proud to have their children become teachers in the schools.

Her brother,Mr Gilchrist requested that he be given a certain territory in which he can appeal for this work. He considers Kansas a good place, as shipping from there would be less expensive than from places farther away. He hopes to cover a radius o of fifteen miles with the evangelistic work of himself and student The Committee received the suggestion favorably and assured Miss Gilchrist they would be carefully considered with the School Com.

It was decided that one of the photographs taken at Washington be ordered for the office,each one being in it to defray her s share of the expense. $1.50.

Mrs Brownell was asked to notify the new vice-presidents of their election.

It was moved and carried that the minutes of the Ex Com be sent to Synodical Presidents and Secretaries;also to vice Presidents of Ex Com if they desire them,Mrs Pierson to write them that they can be sent at a cost of fifteen cents per month to all who wish them.

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Mrs Hume wrote asking permission to change her plans for the tour she is to make. Referred to Mrs Pierson with power to act.

Miss Campbell has written that she does not believe she can return to Harlan Court House for another year, the work having been so very trying. It was voted to have Mr Mc Afee visit Harlan Court House, Ky.

Mrs James urged that ladies of wealth be approached for the endowment fund; that the work with its strong claims be laid before them for their contributions to its support. Miss Lincoln was directed to write Mrs Thaw to know the amount of money she wishes used in the building for Miss Mc Beth, and if the Committee shall proceed with the contract. She was also asked to write Mr Mc Conville, Supt of Government school and request his oversight in the building of the house.

Adjourned at five o'clock.

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At a called meeting of the Woman's Executive Committee it was decidéd to have the shelves removed from the Reception room and that the work be given to the carpenter giving the lowest estimate, which is $20.

Motion made and carried that Mrs Adams of Seattle who was formerly in our work as missionteacher for several years, be invited to address societies in Oregon and Washington representing the interests of the Woman's Executive Committee, effecting organization wherever possible, she to receive ar the rate of $5 a meeting for such services, a collection to be taken at each meeting.

Mrs Honeyman expressed a desire to have MissStephenson of Asheville, N.C. to address their meeting in October. Motion made and carried that Miss Stephenson be invited to come east in Octobe to address the Synodical meeting of New Jersey.

Motion made and carried that the magazine Com. with Mrs Finks shoulder the responsibility of the matter regarding the joint issue of a young people's magazine, with the Foreign ladies.

Motion made and carried the Mrs Finks be allowed to engage any assistance needed, calling to her aid experts if necessary.

Minutes of last two meetings read and approved after making necessary corrections.

Meeting adjourned.

WAYS and MEANS
June 13th,1893

1. Mrs Walkers views of work west
2. Members of Synodical Committees
   Letter from Mrs Newkirk of Phila. transfer of teachers
3. Personal letters to be written these new teachers
   Letter from Miss K.Mc Beth regarding death of her sister
   Official letter to be sent to Phila Board
   Union magazine for young people
4. Standard of new magazine
   Scholarships for institutions in the neighborhood of Sisseton
5. Letter from Mrs Thaw. Gift of house at Laywai
   Historical sketches sent out by Foreign Board
   Unfavorable criticism on work in papers
   La Florida needs new roof
   Miss Gilchrist. Training school
6. Transfer of school at Isleta to another point
   M.Sanches to be retained at Agua Calientes,N.M.
7. Money for Penasco,N.M. Building
   Course of study for young girl at Grassy Cove desired
   Miss Cox desires position as principal teacher
   Plans for Kindergarten for next year at Muscogee,I.T.
8 Definite action regarding school at Lehigh I.T. desired
   Vacation for Mr & Mrs Colwell
   Miss Sullivan can return to her work at end of four months
   Miss Dixon & Miss Mc Creight now ready to be commissioned
   Change in closets in leaflet room
   Change in work in office
9. Letter to be acknowledged in three days
   School appliances to be obtained through Supt of schools only
   Mr & Mrs Polhemus not go to Concord,N.C.
   Report of school work to be printed
   Cindy's Chance desired by Miss Emerson of Cong Board
   Publications of sister societies desired
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Meeting of the Wa ys and Means Committee on Tuesday June 13th at 10.30 A.M. Present about twelve ladies. Meeting opened with the susual half hour devotional exercises.

Mrs Charles Walker of Colorado being present was asked to give her views on the work through our western Synods. She then mentioned the difference in the working of several of the Synods by name. In Iowasand Nebraska the methods are somewhat similar In the auxiliaries work for Foreign and Hime Missions is usually done undivedly but in the Synods and Presbyteries it is generally kept apart. In Nebraska much less work is done for Home than for Foreign Missions. This is largely due to the auxiliaries holding only monthly meetings and these in the interest of Foreign Mission Through the North West both branches of missions work through synodical organizations far more than in the east. Yet in many states the Synodical method is looked upon as a fifth wheel. A motion was carried that Mrs Honeyman be asked to write during the summer a leaflet upon how the New Jersey Synod was worked up,a sub ject which she has so carefully mastered.

Wisconsin has organized synodically for both Home and Foreign Missions long before the existence of the Woman's Executive Com mittee or of the Board of the North West. Iowa soon after joined her, but later at the solicitation of the Board of the North West Iowa was persuadad to give up her Home work,but Wisconsin contin ued both. Mrs Walker finds that when the Synodical Committee do

their work well there is harmony in working,but when they are not well conducted their is dissatisfaction among the Home workers on account of the long distance from headquarters.

Mrs Walker expressed the great satisfaction that Synodical officers were expressing on receiving condensed minutes of our meetings. They say they can have now something to hand over to their Presbyterial societies which they have never had before. Mrs Walker then read the rough draft of the leaflet she has prepared for publication on the nature and methods of working of Synodical Societies. Discussion was held at various points as she read and some suggestions made but as a whole the paper gave great satisfaction to all present. While the duties of Synodical Committees are clearly defined it was amaintained that strength lies in elasticity and too straight rules must not be laid.

Mrs James expressed the opinion that all members of the Advisory Committee of Woman's Executive Committee should be made members of Synodical Committees of their respective states. The thanks of the Committee wwre tendered Mrs Walker for the able and carefully written leaflet she has prepared.

The regular business was then taken up.

Letter received from Mrs Newkirk of the Phila Board giving over the women formerly under the care of their Board to the loving and tender keeping of our Committee of Home Missions.

Mrs Lindsay of Poplar Creek,Dakota; Miss Kate Mc Beth of Idaho;

Miss Sue Mc Beth of Idaho(died since letter was written) Mrs Trippe living at Salamanca,N.Y. working among the Allegheny and Catteraugus Indians; Mrs Williamson of Dakota,(Greenwood)

Mrs Pierson reported that personal letters would be written to these ladies extending to them a cordial welcome under our care. Mrs Miller to write them.

A motion was carried that an official letter ne written to the Phila Board accepting the charge so tenderly committed to us.

Mrs James read most touching letter of Miss Kate Mc Beth telling of her sister's death and sending copy of verses which her sister had at times written breathing a spirit of piety as well as of genius. Resolution was requested expressing the sorrow of the Woman's Executive Committee at the death of Miss Sue Mc Beth just as she was about to come under our support. This resolution to be printed in Home Mission Monthly as well as sent to Miss Kate Mc Beth.

Mrs Perkins of Phila writes in reference to the union of Home and Foreign work in a children's magazine. She is in full sympathy with such a step and believes the more the work can be looked upon as one,the nearer we gain the true solution of working for missions. She thinks the joint publication Committees will not be able to work in unison until Jan '94,and in the mean time she urges much thought to be given to it that it result satisfactorily. Resolution passed acknowledging with gratitude this

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courteous letter of Mrs Perkins and stating that we are ready to receive the proposition they propose to make in reference to the joint magazine.

Mrs Agnew urged in a new publication the raising the standard of the matter bringing it up to a point to interest older children; held St Nicholas as an example of a standard suiting equally old and young.

Mrs Roberts reported on the appeal of Dr Carson asking for scholarships in neighboring institutions for the continuance of the education of a few pupils outgrowing the Good Will and similar schools. Dr Roberts is of the opinion that we have not the means or rules to cover these exceptional cases. He did not object however to our receiving gifts from individuals for this purpose, and advised in all cases that we select the institutions for carrying forward such pupils. Mrs Agnew thought it was a matter for much deliberation on the part of our Committee as to how far we are willing to carry on the education of our pupils. Whether to limit it to the Grammar school grade or to carry it into the Collegiate. Mrs James thought we had reached our limit in our Normal Training Schools, one of which we have in each of our exceptional populations. Motion carried that the Committee appointed to investigate this subject together with the officers of Ex Com. confer with the Secretaries on this subject. The committee re-appointed consists of Mrs Agnew, Mrs Roberts and Mrs Pingry.

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Mr. Adler replied in a few pleasantries the taking the attitude of a modern Pygmalion bringing it up to a point to instruct other children; held it Microbes as an example of a struggling multiply equally old and young.

Mr. Lewis reported on the appeal of Mr Carson asking for solidarity in supporting institutions for the continuance of the education of a for Jewish orphans; the good Will and aim for society. Mr. Lewis is of the opinion that we have not the means or time to cover three institutions cases. He did not object moreover to our receiving gifts from individuals for this purpose, and advised in all cases that we solicit the institutions for carrying forward such appeal. Mr. Adler thought it was a matter for much consideration on the part of our Committee as to how far we are willing to carry on the education of our Jewish. Whether to limit it to the Talmud school grade or to carry it into the collegiate. Mr. Lewis thought we had reached our limit in our Normal Training School, one of which we have in each of our educational institutions. Motion carried that the committee be instructed to investigate this subject together with the officers of the com. confer with the Jewish Teachers on this subject. The committee r-[illegible] of Mr. Roberts and Mr. [illegible].

The afternoon session began with the reading of a letter by Mrs Thaw with reference to her gift of Miss Mc Beth's house at Lapwai.

Mrs Pierson referred to the historical sketches heretofore sent out by the Foreign Board up to the transfer to us of their Indian work, and asked if it would not be well for us to purchase it for circulation. Mrs James thought it was so interlaced with their own work that there would be difficulty in extricat ing what now pertained to us. She thought the information could be obtained from them as needed.

An article appearing in one of the papers signed Hamilton passing unfavorable criticisms on our Omaha work; a motion was carried that we refer the article to Mr Mc Afee to do with it as he should think best.

Mrs Pierson spoke of La Florida needing a mud roof or shin gle one and that Mrs Bryan of Pa has expressed a desire to have it done in October provided we advance her the $200 needed, whic on motion was granted from the Building Fund.

Miss Gilchrist writes again about the work at Albuquerque, but we feel we must abide by the advice of Dr Kirkwood who pre- fers Del Norte or Las Vegas as our best point. A motion was carried that as the proposition is to make Albuquerque a train ing school for evangelists, we feel the time has not come for us to make such an attempt.

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Mrs Miller reported that Mr Menaul replies in regard to giving up Isleta in favor of Las Lentes that after ten or twelve years of labor they find it impossible even to keep up a Sabbath School. He feels it is time and money thrown away to continue the struggle at Isleta. Mrs Craig writes to the same effect. It is in fact exchanging Indian for Mexican work. Mrs Craig says the expense of moving would not be great, and the Mexicans will give a building free of rent. The secretaries advising the transfer, a motion was carried that we concur in their opinion.

At Aqua Calientes. Mr Menaul advises that M. Sanchez be retained for five months for $300. Miss Allison writes giving so many good hints that Mrs Miller wished to read a part of it. Miss Allison thinks, in spite of the opinion of some teachers in distant parts of the territory, the texpenses of teachers in the cities are greater than those of the others. They contribute to the church, and bear the insurance on the manse, and in many other ways are called upon for aid, and who should be more willing to give to good causes than the mission teachers, but she admits that in view of the lonely lives of the teachers on the Plazas they should receive as large salaries as those in the cities. This generous admission called forth the admiration of the Committee. Mrs Walker paid fine tribute to Miss Allison' character and Mrs Miller read another letter giving the same testimony.

The Miller reported that it had helped in regard to giving up labels in favor of the boxes that after ten or twelve years of labor they find it impossible even to keep up a sabbath school. He feels it is time and money thrown away to continue the struggle at Kalota. Her strong writes to the same effect. It is in fact exhausting labor for Jackson work. Its trying are the expense of having round not to attest,and the Jackson will give a building free or pay it. The authorities advising the transfer,a motion was carried that we concur in their opinion.

It was decided that Jackson was not Jackson-tained for five months for 1905. Then Jackson writes giving so many good points that Mr. Miller wished to read a part of it. The Million Plans, in spite of the opinion of some tobacco manufacturers, that the tobacco habit or chewing or smoking tobacco in the cities are greater than those of the other. They contribute to the church,and keep the immoral so on the wards,and in many other ways are called upon for aid,and who should be more willing to give to the cause than the million tobacco,but we admits that in view of the lonely lives of the tobacco or the places they should receive as large salaries as those in the cities. This question should be called forth the admiration of the committee. Mr Miller paid the tribute to Miss Allison's character and Mr. Miller read another letter giving the same testimony.

Mr Menaul writes that he has received money from Mr Eaton for beginning the building at Panasoo; asks for the plans which had not been sent him. At Buena Vista there is a building which could be used for both church and school. The Board of Church Erection will pay $200 and asks us to add $100. Miss Lincoln stated that the $100 could be advanced from the Building Fund and as it needed immediate action a motion was carried that this matter be put in Mr Mc Afee's hands.

Miss Cora Means of Grassy Cove, writes of a young girl about 21 years of age for whom she begs for a course of study at some institution. She could help in the dining room or elsewhere to help towards her expenses. Motion carried that Miss Lincoln write to some woman of means making an appeal for this case.

Miss Cox at Muscogee, Ind Ter having resigned as principal has now preferred a request as principle teacher. It had been thought best to transfer Miss Cox to Nuyaka where she is very much needed. Moved and seconded that we abide by the schedule already decided upon and make the transfer.

At Muscogee, Mrs Riddell writes the kindergarten is now on a good basis and the sewing department running well. Mrs Riddell asks what are the plans of the Board for her another year. Motion carried that we continue the same relation as hitherto with Mrs Riddell giving her her board and room and if the tuition warrant this may be supplemented.

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Mrs Miller thought some definite acrion should be taken as to the transfer of the school from Lehigh to San Blois or Tallahenie. Motion carried that Mr Mc Afee correspond further on the subject and ascertain what tuition can be obtained at one of the other points and decide thereupon according to his judgment.

Mr & Mrs Colweal superintendent and wife of Spencer Academy ask for a short vacation and on motion this waa granted.

Miss Caroline Sullivan of Payson,Utah,thinks she will be able to return to her work at the end of four or five months. Motion carried that we adhere to former action that a rest of a year be gratned Miss Sullivan.

Miss Dixon and Miss Mc Creight having been working among the Dakotas under the Foreign Board are now ready to come under our commission. They have had Devil's Lake recommended to them a beautiful point and a most important one. They will be willing to go on quite a small salary. A motion carried that we approve their appointment to this place provided the school committee approve.

Mrs Miller suggested making a change in the rooms making the leaflet room a reception room thereby securing more quiet and comfort inthe main room.

A slight change in the work among the stenographers in the office being proposed a motion carried that Miss Taft receive from June 1st '93 $50 in addition,for which she will do extra

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[illegible] a change in the young meeting [illegible] from a Thursday night to Sunday night [illegible] more quiet and [illegible] more room.

A short change in the youth group, to Sunday afternoons in the office board [illegible] motion carried [illegible] Miss Tabs Tooley [illegible] will do office

work thus allowing Mrs Baker, who will thereby be relieved, to do stenographic work for Miss Wishard and Mrs James.

Mrs Miller also stated that an order had been issued that all letters in the office be acknowledged within three days after receipt. Motion carried approving this action. Also that all school appliances such as desks, books, furniture etc shall be obtained only through the supt of school work Mr Mc Afee.

Mr & Mrs Polhemus will not go to Condord, N.C.

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Miss Emerson, sec. of American Missionary Association wants to make use of our leaflet Cindy's Chance but would prefer leaving out some items necessary on ours, but attributing it to Woman's Ex.Com' Permission granted that this leaflet be so used.

Mrs Pierson thought we should have samples of publications issued by sister societies in our leaflet department, as they are of frequent service in our work. Motion carried ordering Miss Rue to make such a collection.

Motion carried that Mrs Stevenson of California be commissioned for another year on same terms as for year just closed.

Motion carried that Miss Wishard go to Montreal on 3rd of July as our delegate to C.E.Convention. The Com. hopes also to

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have her go to Ohio C.E.Convention to represent it at that meeting.

Motion carried that she have also permission to attend this meeting.

Miss Wishard gave a brief outline of the work she is planning for young people.

Motion was made and supported that the leaflet prepared by Rev D.E.Finks entitled "Facts and Figures" be distributed among Y.P.S.C.E. and that a joint leaflet be prepared by Mr Penfield and Miss Wishard for distribution at Montreal Convention and among C.E.Societies,setting forth the work of the Board of H.M. and the Ex Com!

Moved and supported that an effort be made to secure funds from individuals for a building at Harlan Court House,Ky. at once. Amount appropriated $3000.

Moved and supported that our Treasurer be instructed to solicit the salaries of evangelists from wealthy ladies.

Moved and supported that Miss Noble be granted three months extra vacation with one quarter's salary,in view of her long and faithful services.

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June 20th,1893

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   Mrs Coulter's share of collection at Washington,D.C.
   Pleasant calls
   Archie Cameron
   Blanche Lewis ill
   Transfer of school at Muldrow,Ind Ter
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   Elm Spring,Ind Ter; move building
   Opening of school on Spokane River,Wash
   Appointment for Tucson,Arizona
   Purchase of horse for Sisseton,S.D.
   Compensation for Mr & Mrs Kops
   Alban,N.C
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Regular meeting of Woman's Executive Committee held June 20th preceded by prayer meeting in charge of Miss Ryckman of Brooklyn,N.Y.

After interesting prayer meeting the Committee came to order. Minutes of last regular meeting and of the meeting of Ways and Means Com. were read and approved.

Miss Lincoln stated that we met our obligations the past year,except a deficit in payment received for Oakland Institute which is covered by a large mortgage. Report accepted.

Mrs Coulter's thanks for a share of the collection receive at Washington was reported.

Some pleasant callers have been received since last meeting at the rooms. A loving letter from Mrs Langdon was mentioned.

A letter from Mr Gould of Howcan,Alaska. He thinks Archie Cameron might well be placed at Whitworth College,Sumner,Wash. This matter referred to the Committee of which Mrs Roberts is Chairman,for inquiry with regard to Millard and others.

The serious illness of Blanche Lewis is reported.She has consumption and it is desired to find some onetraveling to the Pacific Coast who could conduct Blanche to her friends.

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the field. Motion made and carried that this be referred to the secretaries of the Board with power to act.

Advised to move our school from Lehigh, Ind Ter to San Bâois This also referred to the secretaries.

A proposition to move the school building close to the home at Elm Spring Ind Ter. They are a mile and a quarter apart. Motion made and carried that such change be inquired into before further action.

Recommendation for opening a school on the Spokane River, Washington. The expense would be teacher's salary, $500 and repairs $50. This Comes from Spokane Presbytery. Motion carried that we refer this to the secretaries for further consideration.

Three men are ready to take positions at Tucson. Resolved that they be appointed as they seem specially qualified. Mr Broughton appointed as blacksmith at Sisseton Agency, So Dak

Motion carried that our time be extended to finish the business.

Mr Baskerville, of Sisseton, So Dak asks for permission to purchase a horse for the use of the mission. This was approved.

Mr & Mrs Kops who were expecting togo to Sisseton So Dak ought to be compensated for loss they have sustained in changing plans. Referred to secretaries of the Board. for consideration.

Miss Hotchkiss of Altan, N.C. requests that the Ex Com does

sever their connection with her school until October 1st. Approved.

A letter read from Miss Laura Hart, of Hart, N.C. asking that we establish a school similar to Whit Hall at Concord, N.C. in her neighborhood which is 23 miles from Concord. Miss Hart is a graduate of this school. Motion carried that the matter be left withthe Secretaries for investigation.

Miss Moore of the office having lost her brother, is granted leave of absence until Monday. She is granted pay for extra work done. Left to Miss Lincoln.

A letter from teacher expecting to be returned to Dakote.

Motion carried that more copies of Dr Dodge's leaflet be printed. The number left to the office.

Motion carried that Miss Stephenson be allowed to prepare placards for use in hotels &c &c.

After prayer by Mrs Manning, meeting adjourned.

over their own telephone with the school until October 1st. Approved.

A letter read from Miss Laura Hart, of Hart, N.C. asking that we establish a school similar to Mitt Hall at Concord, N.C. in her neighborhood which is 20 miles from Concord. Miss Hart is a graduate of this school. Motion carried that the matter be left with the Secretaries for investigation.

Miss Moore of the office having left her brother, is granted leave of absence until Jan. 1st. She is granted pay for extra work done. Note to Miss Lincoln.

A letter from Miss Hunter requesting to be returned to Danville.

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After report of Trustees meeting, meeting adjourned.

WAYS and MEANS
June 27th,1893

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Union Calendar
Circular letter to those not subscribing for H.M.M
Circular letter to Sec of Lit
Circular to societies regarding magazine
Colorado money for seats at Springville,Utah
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Mrs Paul to learn dress making
Letter from Fannie Willard
Archie Cameron of Alaska
Remuneration for extra services for Miss Taft
Letter to Synldical Presidents;advance for each Synod
Letter to Mrs Coulter giving plan of our work
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Dr Hill to make good the titles of several schools
Miss K.Mc Beth to receive advance salary of sister
Altan to be supported for another year
Reconsideration of extra scholarships for Pt Wrangel,Alaska
Higher education of our scholars
Field matron Oregon
4 Mrs Haines visits to our schools
Organization of union societies
Synodical Committee for Ind Ter
Acceptance of Mrs Farwell,Chicago,Ills
Mrs Pratt to be reimbursed for postage and stationery
5. E. Building at Monroe,Utah. Also La Florida
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Assistance of Mrs [illegible], Chicago,Ills
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Mr Ho Also a number of building committee
vacation of Miss Molle, Ogden,Utah

Meeting of Ways and Means Committee held June 27th. Mrs Roberts in the chair.

A proposition having been received from the committee on the publication of children's magazine of the Foreign Board that we unite our prospective magazine for young people with theirs, the matter was referred to the committee on magazine, Mrs Finks chairman. Mrs Finks was asked to add to her Committee.

Mrs James made a motion that the Union Calendar be left with Mrs Parsons. Carried.

Mrs Finks called attention to the fact that there are many new offices in the local societies, who are not subscribers to the magazine; it was suggested that a circular letter be sent to such officers calling attention to the magazine.

Mrs Finks read a circular letter addressed to the secretaries of Literature in regard to the renewal of magazine promptly setting forth the extra labor involved when the renewals are delayed. Motion that this letter be sent carried.

Mrs Finks also read a circular letter addressed to the officers of local societies, showing how indispensable the magazine is to intelligent work in the home field. Motion carried that these letters be sent as early as possible.

A letter from Mrs Walker asking that $150 of the Colorado money be used for providing seats in the church at Springville Utah. Motion carried that this matter ve referred to School

The report of the Legislative Committee held June 17th. Mrs Roberts in the chair.

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A letter from Mrs Talbot asking that $100 of the Colorado money be used for providing seats in the church at Springville Utah. [illegible] or vote [illegible] to local

committee urging that it be granted.

Motion made by Mrs James that the former action referring to printed testimonials in regard to speakers be reconsidered. Carried

Mrs Pierson reported that a place had been secured for Mrs Paul that she may learn dress-making- place to be open in Sept. Motion carried that Mrs Paul have a vacation of three months and her expenses paid to Portland. Details left with the office.

Letter from Fannie Willard thanking the ladies for their kindness to her and Millard.

Mrs James read a letter from Mr Gould in reference to Archie Cameron. Mr Gould desired to have Archie sent to Whitworth,WashMotion carried that Millard be brought east,that he come to Dr J.F.Pingry,Elizabeth,N.J.,future arrangements to be made after he comes. That Archie Cameron be sent to Whitworth.

Motion carried that Miss Taft receive $10 for extra service

Mrs Pierson read a general letter to the Synodical Presidents; also gave the advance asked for from each Synod.

Motion carried that Mrs Coulter be written to in regard to our plan of dividing our work among the Synods,and ask that she outline her work in the same manner.

Motion carried that Mrs Pierson's letter and apportionment be adopted.

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Motion carried that Mrs Hanson's letter and appropriation be adopted.

Motion carried that we endorse the action of the School Committee that Asheville Industrial school be painted.

Motion carried that we concur in the action of the Board that Dr Hill be employed to make good the titles of two or three properties in Ind Ter, expense to be submitted to Woman's Ex Com before action. Motion carried that Mr Mc Afee be instructed to visit Indian Territory in order to adjust certain matters requiring attention.

Motion carried that the usual advance of quarter's salary be given Miss Kate Mc Beth in behalf of her sister.

Motion carried that we concur in the recommendation of the secretaries to continue our support of the school at Altan, N.C. for another year. Motion carried that Mrs Miller write Miss Hotchkiss the conditions under which the school would be continued.

Motion carried that extra scholarships for Dr Thwing, Ft Wrangel, Alaska be reconsidered and be not granted this year.

On motion of Mrs James it was resolved that we assume the care of such scholars, who previously educated in our schools, desire and are deemed worthy of a higher education. All thought it wise that the work begun in our own schools, should be further carried on under the management of the Presbyterian church.

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Mrs James proposed that we write to the Boards of the North west and the Southwest calling attention to the fact that we instruct those who go out in these territories to organize socie ties,to organize union societies in the smaller churches and asking that they instruct their ladies to do the same in the districts visited by them.

Motion carried that we write to Mrs Jacke,Claremore,Ind Ter Synodical President,asking that she have ready for us the names of a Synodical committee,confirmed bySynod- that they recommend two vice-presidents.

Letter from Mrs Farwell,Chicago,Ills accepting her appoint ment.

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Miss Lincoln asked that enough be taken from the general building fund to complete the buildingaat Monroe,Utah. Also that $300 be taken from the building fund for furnishing a roof on building at La Florida. Both motions approved.

Motion carried that Mr Mc Afee be made a member of the building committee.

Letter from Mrs Sinclair of Iowa in regard to Miss Noble. Motion carried that the matter be referred to Mrs Miller and Mr Mc Afee with power,suggesting that she be given six months salary instead of three if the conditions warrant it.

Meeting adjourned.

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Motion carried that Mr Alec be made a member of the building committee.

Letter from Mrs. Kelsey of Iowa in regard to Miss Noble. Motion carried that the matter be referred to Mrs Miller and Mr Alec with power,suggesting that she be given six months salary instead of three if the conditions warrant it.

Meeting adjourned.

JULY 24th,1893

1. Publication of children's magazine.
2. Bill from Miss Alice Robertson,traveling expenses
2. Mrs Finks article on evangelistic work by Ex. Com.
New leaflets prepared by Mrs Pierson
Hot Springs catologue
2. City evangelization - action of General Assembly.
Price for pictures of schools recently taken
Miss Moore to be paid for extra services.
3. George son of janitor to be employed by Committee
Mr Mc Afee presented several questions., as follows
Teachers for day schools in New Mexico.
Bell for Richfield,Utah
Enlargement of teacher's home at Pleasant Grove Utah.
Good Will,So Dak asks an allowance for wood sheds.
4. Transportation of pupils to Sisseton. Price for same
Harlan Court House,Ky, Letter from Synodical Supt.
Letter from Mrs Throop Martin in regard to Pima and Papagos
Exhibition of photos at World's Fair
5. Additional space for leaflets allowed
Mr Bull's room to be cleaned.
Delegates at conference of World's Congress.
Enlargement of teacher's homeat Elm Spring,Ind Ter.
6. Miss Beekman unable to be on the field at opening of school
Mr Mc Afee to go to Utah in August.
Money for education of four children,Indians, So Dak.
Mrs Commons desires position as Bible reader,Mt Whites
Scholarship for Miss La Mont,Mendon,Utah
Fannie Willard wishes to resign
7. Helper needed at Tama,Iowa.
Letter of thanks from Miss Miller transferred from Foreign Bd
Letters of greetings to wives of pastors transferred from Foreign Board.

A called meeting of the Executive Committee was held July 24th. Ten ladies present. Instead of a scriptural reading Mrs James read appropriate and beautiful thoughts from Moul's "Christian Sanctity", after which Mrs Roberts led in prayer.

The first item of business was a letter from Mrs M.H.Perkins of Phila. concerning the union publication of a children's magazine, manifesting a spirit of willingness to meet on equal and hap;y terms.

Miss Lincoln presented a bill from Miss Alice Robertson of Muscogee, Ind Ter for traveling expenses. Though it was thought to be unnecessarily large, full fares being paid, it was deemed best to allow it, with the suggestion that a letter be sent her to this effect, and that she apply for half rates hereafter.. Her mother, Mrs Robertson will be retained will be retained, by action of the Committee for another year.

Mrs Finks presented an article she had written for the Home Mission Monthly explaining why the Committee has taken up evangelistic work. It was unanimously endorsed as an acceptable answer to the objections offered for this enlarged work, which is not to conflict with or lessen the educational work.

Mrs Pierson asked permission to have the new leaflets she has prepared published. Allowed.

The publication of the History and Catolugue of the Hot Springs School was discussed. Dr Dorland the Principal offering

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to defray the expense of printing. Mrs Roberts moved that a com mittee be appointed with power to correct the same for publication, the President appointing Mrs Roberts and Mrs Agnew to serve as the committee.

The action of the General Assembly in reference to the over tures from cities requesting city evangelization to be undertaken by the Committee was read by Mrs James. It is as follows:- Session of May 27th 1893. "In answer to the Overture from the Presbytery of Chicago, in regard to the enlarging of the scope of the work of the Woman's Executive Committee of Home Missions, so as to include the educational work among the exceptional populations of large cities, and also the Overture from the Presbytery of Lehigh, asking for the extension of the work of the Woman's Executive Committee, so as to include all departments of Home Mission work, we recommend, that, in view of the delicate and complicated nature of the ques- tions involved, this matter be referred to the Board to act as in their judgment they may deem best." Attest under my hand and the seal of the General Assembly.

(Signed) Wm Henry Roberts, Stated Cl

Mrs Finks requested that a price be, named for the pictures of the different schools recently taken, as a number of the teachers desire to procure them. Voted that they be sold for twenty-five cents each.

Mrs Pierson moved that Miss Moore be allowed $5 for extra

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(Signed) M. Henry Roberts, Secretary of

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The Lecturer moved that it be [illegible] for extra

work done out of office hours. Allowed.

Miss Lincoln spoke of George, a son of the janitor, who has been employed in the office lately, and explained the pressing need of employing an office boy permanently. This one can be secured at a cost of $3 per week, thus relieving the expense of Thomas $1.50 per week, for carrying the mail, entailing an additional $1.50 only. Moved and carried that he be employed.

Mr Mc Afee came in and presented the following questions. He had received a letter from Mr Williamson of New Mexico asking that six teachers be allowed for new day schools he desires to have opened in the territory. In view of the present financial pressure of the country and new work already assumed for the coming year, it was voted inexpedient to undertake this extra work now.

The need of a bell at Richfield, Utah was presented and an appeal for it will be made through the Home Mission Monthly, also weekly religious papers, and Mr Penfield will be asked to appeal through his department for it.

''Pleasant Grove, Utah asked for an allowance of $100 for the enlargement of teacher's home. Allowed.

Good Will, So Dak asks for an allowance for the enlargement of wood sheds that pupils may not be required to dig wood out of the snow in mid winter. Allowed. Mr MC Afee explained the need of making this school one for the higher education of pupils, thus obviating the necessity for sending pupils away for this purpose.

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Rev J.R.Williamson Supt of Indian Schools for -- wrote urging this matter. Mr Mc Afee felt that the demands warranted the under taking,hence it was voted to undertake it the coming year in a mod est way,without an increase of teachers.

Mrs Pierson moved that an allowance be made,not to exceed $10 or $12 per pupil for the transportation of Indian pupils to Sis seton.

Mr Mc Donald,Synodical Supt wrote that he had visited Harlan Court House and is pleased with the prospect for the new school there. Lne gentleman living in Ky has subscribed $200 and will make an effort to secure gifts equal to this sum. Mr Md Donald's recommendation that a brick building at a probable cost of $4000 be erected was endorsed and expressed the belief that he can secure $1000 of this sum in the vicinity himslef. A public hall has been secured by Mr Mc Donald for the school for the coming year.

Mrs Finks read a letter from Mrs Throop Martin,whose interest in the Pima and Papago Indians and the work of Mr Cook has been the result of advancing their cause,has published a book on Mr Cook's work and offers to give the Committee five hundred copies,unbound, for selling,the proceeds to be applied to Mr Cook's salary. $20 will probably cover the expense of covers and expressage also bind ing. Moved that the offer beaccepted with a letter of thanks to Mrs Martin,who will attend to the binding.

Mrs Roberts recommended that photos to be exhibited at World!

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fair be placed on a folding screen which can afterwards be used in the office for display. Mrs Pierson moved that this be accepted as the most feasible plan in view of the lateness of the display. Mr Finks was asked to superintend the arrangement of the display. Adjourned till afternoon.

On reassembling it was moved and carried that additional space be added to the leaflet shelves, also curtains for hanging around the same. The purchasing of drawers not to exceed $10 was author ized for the placing of photos &c.

The cleaning of Mr Bull's room was also ordered.

Miss Childs wrote asking for list of delegates to represent the Committee at the Conference of World's Congress of Woman's Missionary Societies to be held at Chicago, at which meeting Mrs James is to preside. Moved that the sentiment of the Ex. Com is in favor of having a stenographic report of the meeting. Mrs Pierson moved that it be the wish of the Committee to have the report printed, if other societies concur in this suggestion; the Committee paying its share of the expenses. Carried. Moved that Mrs Pierson the delegate who will represent the Committee officially be instructed to pay the Committees share of the expenses of this meeting.

Miss Lincoln told of Miss Montgomery's request that she be allowed to raise $500 for the enlargement of the teacher's home and class rooms at Elm Spring, Ind Ter. Secretaries approved it, so the request was granted.

Miss Beekman of Las Vegas has been in the office and while greatly improved fears she will not be able to return in time for the opening of the school, but Miss Mc Nair is willing to assume charge till she is able to go. Miss Beekman had told of the great need of a new range, which was granted.

As Mr Mc Afee is going to Utah in August the Committee requested him to visit the schools in Indian Territory and if possible be there at the time of the meeting of Synod.

Mrs Pierson received letters from Dr Carson of So Dakota asking that the Committee appropriate money for the education of four Indian pupils whom he believes would be especially fitted, with further education, for missionary work among their own people. The request was referred to Miss Wishard with the request that she make personal appeals for them.

In reply to a letter sent President Fairchild of Oberlin College asking concerning Mrs Commons who had applied for a position as Bible reader among the Mountain Whites, he wrote that he could recommende her as an earnest Christian woman. Mrs Pierson was directed to write her that there may be an opening for her later.

Upon recommendation of Miss Lincoln a scholarship of $75 was granted for Miss La Mont at Mendon, Utah to be paid to Rev Mr Campbell.

Mrs James read a letter she had received from Fannie Willard offering her resignation as teacher in the Sitka school, stating

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that her reason for doing so was a feeling of inefficiency as a spiritual leader and instructor, and a consciousness of this led to this step. Mrs James was asked to write her that the Committee feels her services are of great value and that she must not be discouraged or compare the apparent results of her spiritual efforts with those of mature Christian women, while she is so young in experience. Her eduaational work is satisfactory and needful.

Mrs Sinclair of Iowa wrote asking that a helper be granted for Miss Skea at Tama, Iowa. Moved by Mrs Honeyman that Mrs Sinclair and Mrs Boynton be requested to procure such an assistant as she needs. Endorsed.

Miss Miller, transferred from the Foreign Board wrote to Mrs Pierson thanking her for cordial letter of greeting sent on behalf of the Committee when she came under its care.

UPon motion of Miss Lincoln it was voted to send letters of greeting to the wives of pastors transferred from the Foreign Board welcoming them to our fellowship.

Adjourned.

Miss E. Wishard.

CALLED MEETING OF WAYS AND MEANS.
AUGUST 15TH,1893

1. Matters between Millard and Fannie Willard.
Tillie Paul's salary.
Dressmaker for Sitka.Alaska
Mrs Sanman to visit rooms
2. Changes in hospital at Sitka not made.
Miss Krafft's resignation
Mr Jones,Killisnoo,Alaska desires Christmas gifts
Miss Williams and Miss Watt of Utah desire to know when school opens
Prof J.A.L.Smith sad loss in the death of his daghter
Shall Mr Smith address societies
Miss Noble wishes to return to Hyrum,Utah
3. School desired at Aqua Fria,N.M.
Matters regarding Tahlequah,Ind Ter
4. Matters referring to San Bois,Ind Ter
Religious influence at Mc Alister and Atoka.
Mr Billman desires a building to gather the children in
5. Helper for Mrs Thwing.
Chairs for Miss Leonard of Montpelier,Idaho
Price of tuition at Kaysville,Utah
Assistance for Miss Moore,Salt Lake,City,Utah.
6. Paul's Valley to be closed.
Miss Atwater not in good enough health to return to Tahlequah at beginning of school.
Helper desired at Pine Ridge,So.Dak.
Matters regarding Sisseton,So Dak
7. Medical attendance for Sisseton,So Dak
Increase of salary for Mr Mondragon,
New building for Chaperito,N.M.
Miss Shields desires to sell furniture.
Carpet wanted for Cinecerro,Nolo.
Matters at Harlan Court House,Ky
8. Miss Means ,Grassy Cove,Tenn does not need scholarship
Mr Green to have charge of all work at Concord,N.C.
Conditions on which Committee will continue school at Altan
9 Miss Alice Robertson desires to be assistant teacher at Muscogee

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A meeting of the Ways and Means Committee was held on Tuesday Aug. 15th 1893 at 10.30 A.M. There were present Mrs James, Mrs Roberts, Miss Peck and Mrs Miller. The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs Roberts followed by Mrs Miller and Mrs James.

A letter from Mrs Austin of Alaska was read, indicating that some misundertanding had arisen between Millard White and Fannie Willard, which may interfere with the plan of bringing Millard to Dr Pingrys in Elizabeth, N.J. Mrs Austin also says the matter is being investigated and later we will receive further information upon the subject. Motion made and carried that no action be taken until such information shall have been received.

Mrs Tillie Paul of Alaska has been receiving groceries and provisions as part salary for her services.. Mrs Austin recommends that she be given the full salary of a teacher for the support of her family, which will be more satisfactory Mrs Austin believes. A motion was carried that this recommendation be presented to the School Committee.

A motion was offered that a competent dressmaker be secured at once for Sitka,, who will also be able to teach plain sewing. If this person is secured the action to send Mrs Paul to Portland will be reconsidered. Mrs Stowell to be written to at once to this effect.

It is thought best to ask Mrs Saxman who has recently been appointed nurse at Sitka, to visit the rooms at the expense of the

Committee she being now at Blairsville,Pa. In view of this,further discussion regarding Sitka was deferred.

The changes ordered in the Hospital at Sitka have not been made. Action was taken to have the matter brought to the attention of the Secretaries at a conference to be held in the afternoon.

Miss Krafft's resignation as prospective teacher of wood carving at Sitka was accepted. She is now at her home in Sweden.

Rev Mr Jones of Killisnoo,Alaska,writes that a Christmas box would be very acceptable at his mission. Action was deferred until a conference should be had with the Sedretaries.

Miss Effie Williams of Manti,Utah and Miss Watt of Monroe, Utah,desiring to know when their respective schools will open,action was taken referring them to Dr Wishard and Mr Mc Afee who is now in Utah visiting the schools.

A card was read from Prof J.A.L.Smith of Logan,Utah containing the sad intelligence of the death of his daughter. A letter of sympathy has been sent him.

A suggestion was made that permission be granted Mr Smith to address societies in the interests of Salt Lake Institute. Referre to meeting with Secretaries.

Miss Noble insists upon returning to Hyrum,Utah. Her successor having been appointed and tickets of transportation sent her a motion was made and carries that a letter be sent informing her of these facts.

A recommendation has been received from Mr James A.Menaul that if the money can be furnished,a day school be opened at Agua Fria with one teacher,and mentioning Miss Kate Kennedy a former teacher in one of our schools in New Mexico. A motion was made and carried that this be referred to the Secretaries at the afternoon conference.

Afternoon session.was attended by Mrs James,Mrs Roberts,Mrs Miller and Miss Peck. It commenced in a conference with the Board,Dr Roberts,Mr Boyd and Mr Eaton being present.

Mr Leiper of Park Hill,Ind Ter was asked to make a statement regarding the new building needed at Tahlequah,most of the old building having been destroyed by fire. The school had a fine location on elevated ground and accommodated from twenty to twenty-eight pupils. $3000 insurance on the old building is assured with which to rebuild and enlarge the school, giving the pupils extended intellectual instruction,as industrial instruction has heretofore occupied about half the day. One pupil now married,of whom all her teachers were proud,was in the school six years,With less time given to home industries the school cause might be shortened. Mrs Miller suggested that two hours devoted to domestic work would be sufficient,allowing more time for intellectual instruction. It was moved and carried to rebuild as before and that correspondence be held with Miss Atwater regarding the best adjustment of work. Mr Leiper warmly recommended that Mr King should take charge of the

business department of the new school as he is full of energy,has the sympathy ofthe teachers and the support of the teachers. Mrs Miller moved that this question be taken into consideration and decided later. Carried.

Action to open the school at San Bois,Ind Ter has been deferred on account of a recommendation to locate it centrally between that point and Garland. This is work among the Choctaws,a teacher has already been provided.

As Mr Mc Afee is now on the ground it was decided that he be requested to investigate the matter. The people are willing to furnish the building if the school shall be located at San Bois.

The startling statement was made that religious influence was wanting both at Mc Alister and at the Atoka school.

A request was presented from Mr Jones ,Killisnoo,Alaska for a Christmas box,he is doing excellent work and will soon have a school. This was approved.

The application from Mr Menaul to open a new school in New Mexico was deferred for further conference.

Mrs James stated that Rev J.A.L.Smith of Logan Utah would be glad to help us in securing money for the Salt Lake Institute,Utah. This was not approved.

A strong appeal had been received from Mr Billman of Tucson, Arizona for a building inwhich the school children may gather on Sunday and tell their parents what they have heard in school. Some money had been collected and put into Mr Cook's hands; part of this

had been spent ofor a buggy. It was thought best to raise the cost of the buggy and restore this sum for the purpose for which it was collected.

Mrs James had received aletter from Mrs Thwing,Ft Wrangel, Alaska, saying that she had engaged a white girl for a helper. This grant had been favored but Mr Eaton stated that it had never formally passed the School Committee. Mrs Thwing asked permission to expend $20 received from tourists and money sent by other friends in the purchase of a magic lantern. Mrs Thwing returns many thanks for the organ and is full of love and praise for the six children in the home. It was moved and carried that we recommend to the School Committee to grant Mrs Thwing a helper. It was also resolve that she be permitted to expend $20 for anything most needed in the work.

A letter was read from Miss Leonard,Montpelier,Idaho who is greatly in need of not less than fifty chairs for the little children of her Sunday School. There are seventy children in the class It was resolved that an appeal for these should be made to some Sunday School as soon as possible.

Miss Fitts at Kaysville,Utah asks instruction regarding charges for tuition. Her pupils average fifty a month. The people are very poor and the Mormon public school is free. This matter to be referred to Mr Mc Afee.

Mr Mc Niece of Salt Lake City asks assistance for Miss Moore

who is a very valuable person and needs a helper in her household. Mrs James stated that as times are very stringent we shall be obliged to draw in our sails. It was therefore decided that as Miss Moore had taken more girls than were allowed by the Committee ,we cannot appropriate more money. This must be referred to Dr Wishard

In accordance with a recommendation from the secretaries to close the school at Pauls Valley,Ind Ter. it was moved and carried that this be done.

The question was discussed as to what should be done with Miss Aughey who had closed the school at Pauls Valley on her own responsibility and went to Ardmore. This question was left for further conference.

Mrs Miller stated that the friends of Miss Atwater were anxious that she should not be required to return to Tahlequah at the very beginning of the school term on account of her health. It was resolved that she be allowed to remain.

A helper is asked for Miss Stoker ,missionary at Porcupine,Pi Pine Ridge,So. Dakota. It was resolved that this be referred to the secretaries.

A letter had been received from Mr Baskerville superintendent at Sisseton Agency.So Dak. stating that a want of harmony existed in the school; he suggested that Mr Smith be dropped. The farmer has a farm of his own and wanted a vacation of four weeks in the midst of pressing work; a week was granted him. It is proposed

that he be recommissioned only for six months.

A heavy bill had been incurred for medical attendance upon the children. A physician offers to care for the family for $150 per year without board. Resolved to consult the secretaries and refer the matter to Mr Mc Afee.

At Taos,N.M. Mr Jacob Mondragon has asked for an increase of salary; he wants $350. Regarding this correspondence must behad with Mr Menaul.

At Chaperito,N.M. Miss Wysong writes that an appropriation has been made for a new building,Mrs Bray of Cali. having given $80. She is very uncomfortably situated,sheep being housed next door to her. This was also referred.

Miss Shields of Laguna,N.M. has an organ,a stove and some furniture which she wants to sell. It was moved and carried that the Woman's Ex.Com. purchase it.

Miss Mollie Clemens of Cinecerro,Colo. wants a carpet; it was decided that this be given to some society as a special,also the request for a stove as that which she has is borrowed.

Mrs Ingalls and Ms Malone have written with reference to the building at Harlan Court House,Ky. A teacher's home is deemed a necessity even though the church building wait. A chapel-schoolhouse is very desirable in order to prevent interference with the religious instruction given which may occur if we continue to occupy the public school building. The question was discussed of

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building the teacher's home with money already pledged for this work.

Miss Means writes from Grassy Cove,Tenn that she does not need the scholarship.

It is proposed that Mr Green of the Concord school N.C. shall have charge of all the work. He suggests that the building be used only for a day school and that the teachers occupy the other house, thereby saving much expense. Some property owned by the Board in N.C. has been asked for as a donation to the public school. Mr Green also asks for an assistant matron as the work will be heavy. They propose employing a friend.

Mrs Miller outlined conditions on which the Committee desired to continue the school at Altan,N.C..

1. That the relations between the school and the Ex.Com. be not concealed from the public and its patrons. The friendly interest manifested by supporters of the work would tend to disarm prejudice among the people if known.

2. That the industrial plan pursued in other schools under the care of the Com be adopted at Altan with such slight alterations as may be deemed necessary.

3. We advise that tuition be charged, if only one cent per week, or some service be required as an equivalent where no money can be obtained.

All our work is based upon the principle of self-support and

we expect her to bring before the pupils the necessity of doing something.

3. The young men who attend from So.Carolina and other localities should be expected to pay at least 25 cents per month. Some might aid in furnishing wood.

4. Let a sewing class be organized which shall be made so attractive that entrance into it shall be counted a favor to the pupil; credit the children for such work as they shall accomplish and when made,give them the garment. We will be glad kf Miss Hotchkis will formulate a plan for the sewing class. Let two hours each week be devoted for this purpose during school hours. Let it be added that the Committeee is much pleased with the growth of spirituality in the school and to learn that so many ahave accepted Chris We rely upon Miss Hotchkiss' good judgment in this matter of industtial work,considering this question very important as touching self-respect.

Miss Alice Robertson wishes to become an assistant teacher in the Muscogee school. She has saved one from the Convent school wh is now learning photography. Her heart is with these girls and she thinks that the Creek nation will accept her as a government teacher. She proposes becoming assistant teacher and will board at her own home. Conference will be held with the secretaries regarding this proposal.

Meeting adjourned at 4.38 P.M.

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Mrs James presided at the first autumnal meeting of the Woman's Executive Committee September 5th 1893. There were present Mrs Roberts, Mrs Miller, Mrs Pierson, Mrs Finks, Mrs Gallup, Miss Peck, Mrs Honeyman, Mrs Mc Millan, Mrs Niven, Mrs Bryan, Miss Lincoln, Mrs Hill and Miss Burnet.

Taking up unfinished business Mrs Miller explained that the project to rebuild between San Bois and Garlands, Ind Ter. had been rescinded and a school will be opened at San Bois according to the original plan.

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It was the judgment of the meeting (after correspondence) to proceed to build at once.

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An appropriation is required for a building at Elm Spring Ind Ter. Motion carried that we appropriate $500.

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Motion made that the Navajo Claims Committee recommend

to the Finance Committee that a regular salary be paid Mrs De Vere in lieu of the present method. $700 per year being named as the amount.

Motion passed that we recommend to the House Committee that relief be furnished to the office workers in the way of additional room.

Meeting adjourned atoene.

S.H.Pingry

Sec pro tem.

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